

# TALISMAN





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To our young folks of The Rutland High School Class of 1954,  
sincere good wishes for happy memories of the past, genuine accom-  
plishment in the present, and faith to meet the challenge of the future.

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# THE 25<sup>TH</sup> YEAR AND YEARBOOK

THE 1954 TALISMAN

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RUTLAND HIGH SCHOOL — TWENTY-FIVE YEARS

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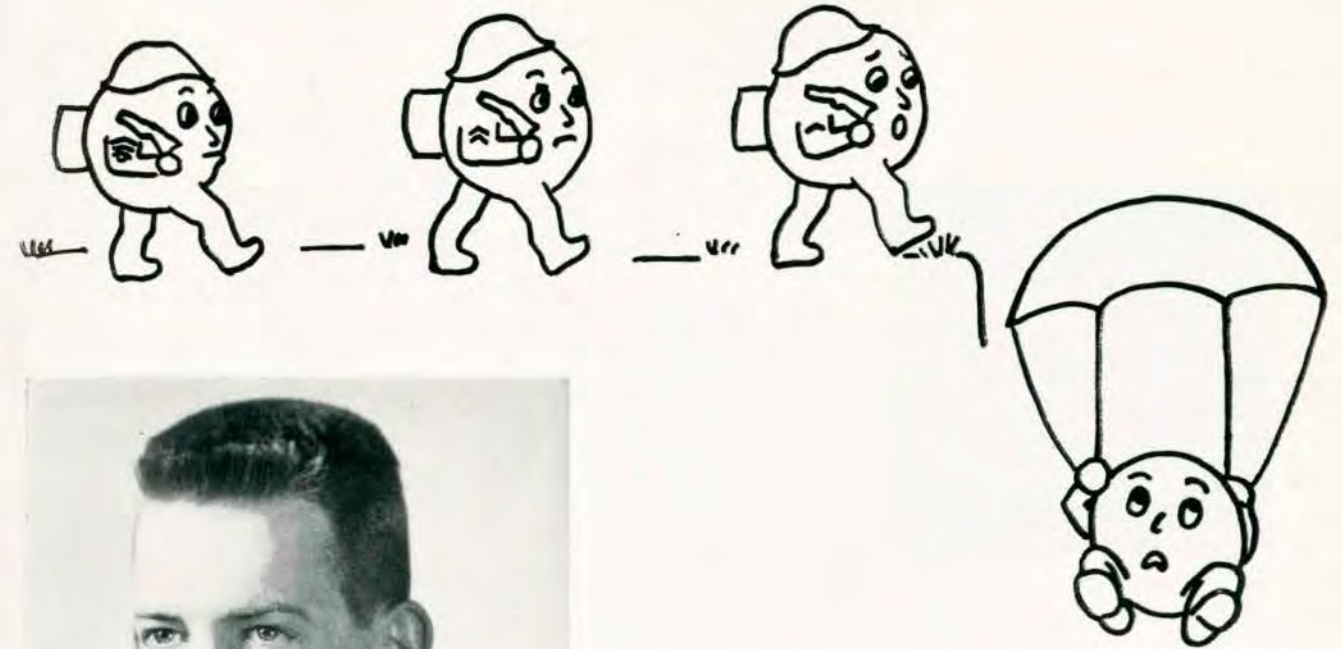


## Foreword

The publication of the TALISMAN for 1954 is notable, for it commemorates two silver anniversaries. Twenty-five years ago our school, then in its seventy-fourth year, moved to a new building and a new location to thereby serve better the youth of our city. Twenty-five years of memories have since been recorded in as many Talismans. We, the Class of 1954, leave our Alma Mater, reluctantly, but we are heartened by the realization that this double silver anniversary edition portrays vividly the tradition and spirit that is and ever will be our own R.H.S.



Alison



EDWARD BARTLETT

## Dedication

We, the Class of 1954, proudly dedicate our yearbook to our classmate, EDWARD BARTLETT. A victim of polio that incapacitated him for many months, this courageous boy has been president of Student Council, an honor student, and a daily example to all of us of a modern youth's acceptance of a challenge. The "foremost crippler of our day" has visited still others in our student body, but they cannot help being inspired by Eddie's attitude and accomplishments. We are justly proud of him and the others, and we know they will surmount the obstacles of the future as valiantly and successfully as they have done as teenagers.



Sheila



# Editorial Staff

Editor-in-Chief



MARY LOU REEDY

As Editor-in-Chief of this twenty-fifth anniversary edition of the *Talisman*, I wish to express my sincere gratitude to Miss Flynn, faculty adviser. To all other members of the faculty who assisted the staff members in any way I say, "Thank you." For her helpful suggestions to the art staff I want to say a very special "Thank you" to Miss Doane.

MARY LOU REEDY

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We, the 1954 *Talisman* Business Board, wish to take this opportunity to thank Mr. McKerley for his kind cooperation and guidance. We feel that special mention should be made of the time and effort Jean Pinkowski put into the drive to help make it a success.



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MR. HOMER B. ASHLAND

To the Class of 1954:

I congratulate you upon the successful completion of your high school course of study—made possible through your own efforts and those of your parents, your teachers, and the citizens of the City of Rutland.

As you begin your life, now or after still further study, I feel sure that you will know right from wrong, and good from evil; and that you will know what to say and do under most circumstances. The real test of your character will come when temptations occur, or when pressures are brought to bear against you. Even then I shall feel confident that the help you have received at home, at church, and at school will give you the strength needed to meet all tests; and thus prove to be a credit to yourself, your parents, your School, and above all to your Country.

HOMER B. ASHLAND,  
Superintendent of Schools

PRINCIPAL OF RUTLAND HIGH SCHOOL



MR. MAYNARD C. ROBINSON

Congratulations to the Class of 1954!

You who are now graduating have demonstrated your ability to bring to a successful conclusion a four year program of academic work. With varying degrees of success you have proved yourselves capable of meeting the challenges which lie ahead of you. As you continue on through life in a civilization becoming constantly more complicated, there will be times when you will need all the strength of character, all the faith, all the moral, and perhaps physical, courage that you can muster.

Yet happiness and successful living are within reach of each of you. May each of you earn a full share of both. We, your teachers, wish you well.

MAYNARD C. ROBINSON,  
Principal

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL



MR. ELLERY R. PURDY





Seated: Miss Bailey, Mr. Drago, Miss Egelston, Miss Diette, Miss Buttles, Mr. Crossman.  
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 Absent from the picture: Mrs. Gray, Mr. Goshgarian.

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## Rutland High School



This Certifies That

has satisfactorily completed the requirements for graduation  
prescribed by the Board of School Commissioners for the  
High School and is therefore awarded this

### Diploma

Given at Rutland, Vermont this      day of June, 19

Superintendent

Chairman

Principal



# 1954 Officers

PRESIDENT



KENNETH E. WHITE

At our graduation from high school, we terminate the four most formative years of our lives. From now on, only our philosophies will change as we go through the stages of life.

In the coming year, we must make one of our most important decisions. Whether we go on to further our education, take our places in the world of business, or serve our country in the armed forces, our successes will reflect on Rutland High School and the leadership of its staff.

During the rest of our lives, we shall never forget our friends in high school. With them, and through sports, music, and other activities, we have matured to the responsible individuals we are.

For the education we have received here, we thank the administration, teachers, parents, and taxpayers who have made it possible.

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**NORMA R. ACKLEY** *Dude*  
**BUSINESS**  
 Ivy Planting; Commencement; Senior Play Committee; *Talisman*; Business Board.  
 Ambition: To become a secretary  
 Special Talent: Driving  
 Favorite Pastime: Dean  
 Hangout: The "Henry J."  
 Pals With: Gail, Pat, Louise, Tex  
 Prized Achievement: All A's in Short-hand I

A friendly "hello" and cheery smile  
 Accompany Norma all the while.



**SHIRLEY ANN BAKER** *Bee*  
**BUSINESS**  
 Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Ivy Planting; Baccalaureate; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 4; Senior Play Committee; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, Captain 3; Field Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer 1, 2, 3; Softball 1, 2, 3; Girls' Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Athletic Awards—Basketball, Softball, Soccer, Hockey; Sophomore Home Varsity Softball 1, 2; Intramural Basketball 4.  
 Ambition: Undecided  
 Favorite Sport: Basketball  
 Pet Peeve: Kidding people  
 Favorite Pastime: Sports

Remembered for her chatter and nickname  
 Her good sportsmanship has brought her fame.



**ANTHONY B. ADAMS** *Ton*  
**COLLEGE**  
 Class Will; Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Section Leader 3; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3; Mimes 4; Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4; Monitor; Junior Mimes; Senior Play Cast; *Red and White* 2, 3, 4; Newswriter 2; Sportsman 3, 4; Home Room Secretary-Treasurer 2; Vice-President 3; Football 1, 2; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity 2, 3, 4; Varsity Ski Team 2, 3, 4; Harvard Club Award 3; All-State Orchestra 2; All-State Band 3; Boys' State; Auditor of Accounts; *Talisman* Sports Writer; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; I.R.C. Honorary 4.  
 Favorite Sport: Skiing  
 Pet Peeve: Green winters  
 Hangout: Grey Chevie  
 Pals With: Dave, Bob  
 Prized Achievement: Harvard Club Award

Easy to please—a whiz on skis  
 A likeable boy who's always at ease.



**DOREEN PHYLLIS BALLANTINE**  
**BUSINESS**  
 Ivy Planting; Baccalaureate; Commencement.  
 Ambition: To be a model  
 Favorite Sport: Basketball  
 Favorite Pastime: Music  
 Prized Achievement: Graduating

A quiet lass in a quiet way  
 But good company on any day.



**NATHAN ALBERT ADAMS** *Nat*  
**TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL**  
 Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' State; National Honor Society 4.  
 Ambition: Automotive business  
 Remembered For: Hurling  
 Favorite Sport: Skiing  
 Special Talent: Talking  
 Favorite Pastime: Sleeping  
 Outstanding Memory of High School: The teachers  
 Hangout: Night school

His cheerful nature and will to help  
 Will always bring him many friends.



**CAROL M. BARTER**  
**COLLEGE**  
 Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Senior Reception; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Commuters 4; Library Council 3, 4; Junior Mimes; I.R.C. 1, 4; Mimes 2, 3; Senior Play Cast; *Red and White* 2, 4; Business Board; Feature Writer; Speech Class Play, Cast; All-New England Chorus 4.  
 Ambition: To be successful  
 Favorite Sport: All types of dancing  
 Special Talents: Dramatics, music, art  
 Favorite Pastime: Anything interesting  
 Pals With: Ruth, Joyce, Georgia

Remembered for her Italian hair and clothing styles  
 Her artistic ability, and ready smile



**DAN ALLEN** *Cricket*  
**COLLEGE**  
 Class Secretary 1, 2; Treasurer 4; Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Baccalaureate; Student Council 2; Senior Play Cast; Home Room Secretary 1, President 2; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Varsity 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, Varsity 3; Baseball Manager 3; Track 1, 2.  
 Ambition: Governor of Vermont  
 Special Talent: Chuglugging  
 Favorite Sport: Basketball  
 Pals With: The Club

A talkative lad, being far from shy  
 Could be our Governor by and by



**EDWARD H. BARTLETT** *E*  
**COLLEGE**  
 Class President 3; Vice-President 1; Freshman Reception; Baccalaureate; Band 1, 2; Student Council 2, 3, 4; President; Executive Committee 4; Senior Play Cast; Home Room President 2, 3; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, Manager 4; Football 3, Varsity 3; Track 1, 2; All-State Band; Ring Committee 1; Sophomore Home Head Basketball Usher 4; National Honor Society 4.  
 Ambition: To be a hermit  
 Remembered For: Witty remarks  
 Special Talent: Chuglugging  
 Favorite Pastime: Joan  
 Pals With: The Club

An unusual boy of great intelligence  
 Unforgettable for personality and elegance.



**PAMELA JANE BABCOCK** *Pam*  
**COLLEGE**  
 Class Song; Junior Prom; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Section Leader 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Commuters 1, 2, 3; Monitor; Junior Mimes; I.R.C. 2, 3, 4; Mimes 4; Vice-President 4; Senior Play Cast; *Red and White* 2, 3, 4; News Editor 4; All-New England Band 3; Orchestra 4; All-State Orchestra 2, 3, 4; All-State Band 1; All-New England Solo and Ensemble 4.  
 Remembered For: Her pigtails  
 Favorite Pastime: Band  
 Special Talent: Poetry  
 Hangout: White's  
 Outstanding Memory: Grover's Corners  
 Prized Achievement: All-New England

A pretty girl, and excellent flute player  
 Her sparkling personality makes everyone gayer.



**JULIE BELLEROSE BEANE** *Jo*  
**COLLEGE**  
 Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Council 3, 4; Monitor; Junior Mimes; G.A.A. 4; I.R.C. 1, 3, 4; Senior Play Cast; Mimes; Play 2; *Red and White* 2, 3, 4; Feature Writer 2, 3, 4; Feature Editor 4; Home Room Secretary-Treasurer 1; Honors for the Year 3; National Honor Society 3; Field Hockey 1; All-Star Hockey Manager 1; All-State Chorus 2; All-State Orchestra 3, 4; "Rund Skade Plats" Chant; man 3; Girls' Ski Club 3; Sophomore Home Outstanding Memory: Band trips  
 Remembered For: Her personality  
 Favorite Sport: Skiing  
 Pet Peeve: Dieting

A cheerful girl, with a sparkling personality  
 Remembered for her vigor and vitality

**BARTON A. BELLAMY** *Bart*  
**COLLEGE**  
 Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Commuters 4; Drive Manager 1, 2, 4; Secretary-Treasurer 3; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Member of "Big Four."  
 Ambition: To be a scientist  
 Favorite Sport: Basketball  
 Special Talent: Singing  
 Would Like Changed: Homework  
 Outstanding Memory: Chemistry Class  
 Pet Peeve: Discourteous people

Remembered for class room antics and ways of a clown  
 His personality and gift of gab never let you down.

**CHRISTINE GAIL BIANCHI** *Chris*  
**COLLEGE**  
 Class Song; Music; Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Orchestra 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Council 3; Monitor; I.R.C. 3, 4; Secretary 4; Senior Play Cast; *Red and White* 2, 3, 4; Vermont Music Festival Scholarship 3; *Hunters' Heaven*; Chairman; Shawnee Delegate; D.A.R. Essay Winner; All-State Band 3; Commencement Essayist.  
 Remembered For: Her sneeze and laugh  
 Would Like Changed: Pictures on the walls  
 Favorite Pastime: Cowback riding in the moonlight  
 Prized Achievement: Vermont State Music Festival Scholarship

Her zest for life and tireless ambition  
 Will successfully carry her through any mission.

**CHARLES BLANCHARD** *Chucker*  
**TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL**  
 Senior Play Committee; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, Varsity 2, 3; Baseball 1, Varsity 1.  
 Remembered For: Golf Course Road  
 Favorite Sport: Wrestling  
 Special Talent: Racing  
 Favorite Pastime: Hot Rods  
 Hangout: The Custom Shop  
 Pet Peeve: Everything  
 Prized Achievement: Graduation  
 Outstanding Characteristic: Nice Personality

A friend to all, this quiet boy will find success  
 He's ready and waiting to bring aid and happiness.

**JOYCE RENITA BOUTWELL** *Joyce*  
**COLLEGE**  
 Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 1; Senior Play Committee; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Basketball 4; I.R.C. 3.  
 Ambition: To be successful  
 Favorite Sport: Swimming  
 Special Talents: Winning tree trips, baking cherry pies  
 Favorite Pastime: Square dancing  
 Pet Peeve: Bleached hair  
 Pals With: Ruth, Carol, Cheryl

Can she bake a cherry pie?  
 Well you've guessed  
 Quick as you can wink an eye  
 She's won another contest!

**AUDREY JEAN BROWN**  
**CIVIC**  
 Ivy Planting; Baccalaureate; Commencement; Band 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Cast; Home Room Basketball 1, 2; Junior Usher.  
 Ambition: To be a domestic nurse  
 Favorite Sport: Basketball  
 Favorite Pastime: Watching T.V.  
 Outstanding Memory: Conceited people  
 Remembered For: Band trips

A neat brunette of a cheery nature  
 Remembered for a personality that'll endure

**CAROL JEAN BURNLEY** *Beanie*  
**CIVIC**  
 Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Council 4; I.R.C. 1, 2, 3; Mimes 2, 3; Senior Play Cast.  
 Ambition: To get married  
 Special Talent: Singing pops  
 Favorite Sport: Basketball  
 Favorite Pastime: Dancing  
 Hangout: Whitehall, Seward's Dairy Bar, and Pittsford  
 Pet Peeve: Advertisements on T.V.

A friend to all and foe to none  
 Carol's friendship is easily won.

**LORRAINE BURNLEY**  
 Discontinued course, January 4, 1954.

**BRUCE HARRY CHARNLEY** *Fuzzy*  
**COLLEGE**  
 Freshman Reception; Commuters 1, 2; Camera Club 1, 2; Head Monitor; I.R.C. 1, 2; Honorary 3; Mimes 4; Senior Play Staff; Basketball Usher 4.  
 Ambition: To be a merchant mariner  
 Remembered For: Being a lover  
 Favorite Sport: Skating  
 Special Talent: Looking bumpers  
 Favorite Pastime: Cow back riding in the moonlight  
 Pet Peeve: Salt  
 Prized Achievement: Head Monitor

A flash of green comes whizzing by  
 Our class taxi driver takes the eye.

**SIBYL EMERSON CHASE** *Sib*  
**COLLEGE**  
 Junior Prom; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Section Leader 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Athletic Association 3; Mimes 4; Commuters 1, 2, 3; Library Council 3; Junior Mimes; Senior Play Staff; *Red and White* 2, 3, 4; News Reporter; *Talisman* Editorial Board; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3; Soccer 3; Volley Ball 3; *Maple Time*; Sophomore Hop; All-State Chorus 2; All-State Band 3, 4; All-New England Chorus 4; National Honor Society 4.  
 Favorite Sport: Swimming  
 Favorite Pastime: Music  
 Prized Achievement: All-New England Chorus

This blond, blue-eyed miss plays tunes on her cornet  
 Sib is a girl you'll be glad you've met.

**JUDITH ANN CLARK**  
**COLLEGE**  
 Class President 1; Class Prophet 4; Freshman Reception; *Maple Time*; Junior Prom; Sophomore Hop; Ring Committee; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1; Cheerleader 1, 2; I.R.C. 1; Secretary 3; President 4; Mimes 4; Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Council 3; Monitor; Junior Mimes, President; Ski Club 3; Treasurer 4; Senior Play Staff; *Red and White* 1, 2, 3, 4; Sports Editor 4; Drive Manager 3; Home Room Vice-President 4; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3; Honors for the Year 3; Girls' State; National Honor Society 3, 4; Field Hockey 1; Class Basketball 1, 2, 3; Girls' Athletic Award 1; Softball 1, 2, 3; All-State Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Nation; Valedictorian; Commencement Essayist.  
 Pet Peeve: Lack of mail  
 Prized Achievement: Girls' Nation

A brain in her studies, and popular, too  
 Judy'll have success in whatever she'll do.

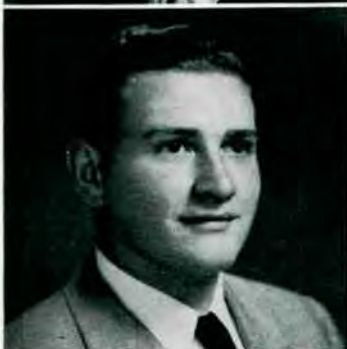






**HOWARD C. COBB** *Snooky*  
COLLEGE  
Football, Head Manager 2, 3; Basketball, Assistant Manager 2, 3; Baseball Head Manager 2; Ski Team 4; *Talisman* Art Staff 3, 4; Student Council 1; Home Room President 1; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Cast; *Red and White*, Photographer 2; Monitor; Art Club 1, 2, 3; Commuters 2, 3, 4; I.R.C. 2, 3; Freshman Reception; Varsity Ski Team 4; Basketball Usher 4.  
Prized Achievement: Passing French  
Favorite Sport: Skiing

Happy go lucky they say of me  
Full of fun and fancy free.



**EDWARD C. COLE** *Ed*  
COLLEGE AND TRADE  
Boys' State; Football, Varsity 3, 4; Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 3; President 4; Senior Play Staff.  
Ambition: To become a civil engineer  
Pet Peeve: Goofy girls  
Prized Achievement: Boys' State

"Ed" will do his own driving in life with  
no wrong turns.



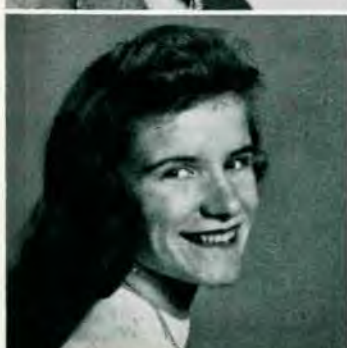
**BARBARA CONSIDINE** *Cuddles*  
CIVIC  
Baccalaureate; Commuters 2, 3; Mimes 2, 4; Senior Play Staff; "Taming of the Shrew" Cast 3; "So Wonderful in White" 3; Ivy Planting.  
Special Talents: Fooling in class  
Pals With: Mary, Lorraine, Sal  
Outstanding Characteristic: So many colors of hair

Happy go lucky, easy go free,  
Nothing on earth ever bothers me.



**FRED DANFORTH** *Jack*  
COLLEGE  
Senior Play Crew; Monitor; Football Manager 1, 2; Shawnee 3; Commuters 3; I.R.C. 3.  
Prized Achievement: Being a monitor  
Would Like Changed: Sociology

"I love work; it fascinates me;  
I can sit and look at it for hours."



**ALISON RUTH DAVIS**  
COLLEGE  
Freshman Reception; Senior Play Committee; *Talisman* Business Board, Art Staff.  
Ambition: Katherine Gibbs School  
Remembered For: Long hair  
Favorite Pastime: Painting

Friends she has many  
Foes, she hasn't any.



**JACQUELINE M. DAWSON** *Jack*  
CIVIC  
Commencement; Chorus 3; Mimes 3; Senior Play Cast; Basketball 4.  
Pet Peeve: Tom Eddy  
Outstanding Memory: Being sent out assembly  
Remembered For: Haircut

"Laugh and the world laughs with you,  
Cry and you get all wet."



**ROBERT W. DONAHUE**  
COLLEGE  
Home Room Activities.  
Ambition: To be a millionaire  
Special Talent: Sleeping in school  
Hangout: Detention  
Favorite Sport: Hunting

A time to keep silent, a time to speak



**KARL S. DRESCHER**  
COLLEGE  
Art Club, President 4; Science Club; *Talisman* Business Board, Art Staff; Senior Play Cast; Home Room Secretary; Treasurer 3; Home Room Basketball 2; Football 3; Baseball 3, 4.  
Pet Peeve: Knee socks  
Remembered For: Foreign accent

"A town which boasts inhabitants like me  
Can have no lack of good society."



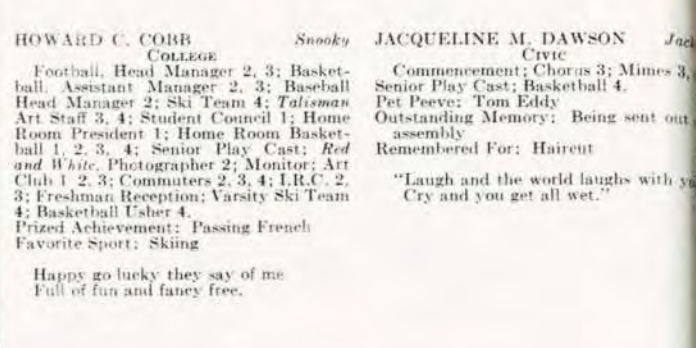
**THOMAS WINSLOW EDDY, JR.** *Seon*  
COLLEGE  
Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Senior Play Cast; Home Room President 1, 2; Drive Manager 3; Football 1, Varsity 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Track Varsity 1; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2; Student Council Talent Show; I.R.C. Talent Show; Basketball Usher 4; Chorus 1, 4; Commuters 1, 2, 3; Junior Mimes.  
Hangout: Hampton Manor  
Remembered For: "Throwing the bull"

There's mischief in his eyes  
And his ways are always a surprise.



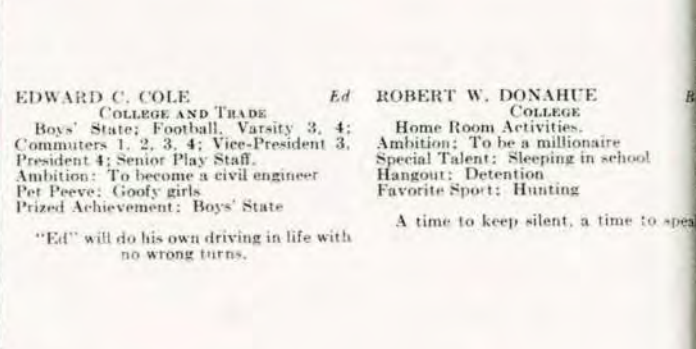
**ROBERT DANA ELLISON**  
COLLEGE  
Class Prophet; Freshman Reception; Chairman; Student Council 4; Senior Play Art Staff.  
Cast: "Taming of the Shrew" 2; Home Room President 4; I.R.C. 1, 2; Mimes 3; Monitor; *Red and White* 3, 4.

He's here; he's there; he's all about.  
Lots of pep and a real good scout.



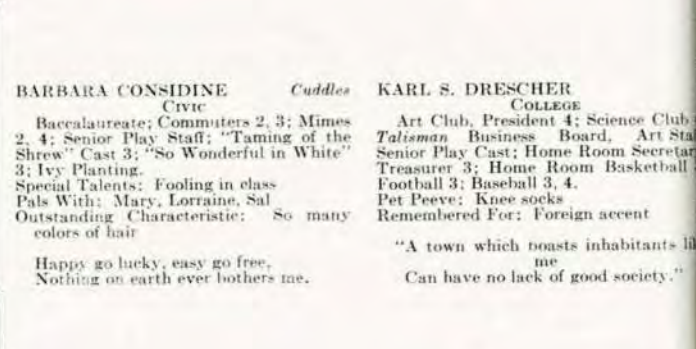
**MICHAEL E. FISKE** *Mick*  
TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL  
Home Room Secretary-Treasurer 2; Drive Manager 1; Home Room Basketball 1, 2.  
Ambition: Manager of A&P  
Special Talent: Pestering people  
Favorite Pastime: Loafing

Mick's a man of few words, it's true,  
But those few are worth listening to.



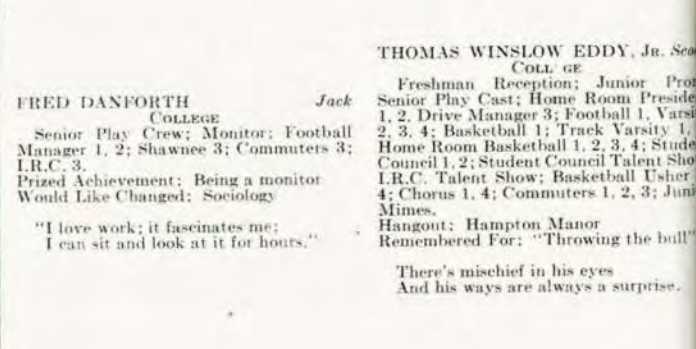
**DEANNA FLANDERS** *Dena*  
BUSINESS  
Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Ivy Planting; Baccalaureate; Home Economics Club 2; Art Club 1, 2, 3; Secretary-Treasurer 4; Girls' Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; I.R.C. 3, 4; Mimes 4; Senior Play, Costume Chairman; *Red and White*, Art Staff 1, Art Editor 2, 3, 4; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Field Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Softball 1, 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 4; Athletic Awards; Sophomore Hop; Science Club 4; Stage Crew 2.  
Special Talent: Art  
Pals With: Connie, Shirley  
Prized Achievement: Graduation

"Dena" is outstanding and capable,  
Ready to help as often as she's able.



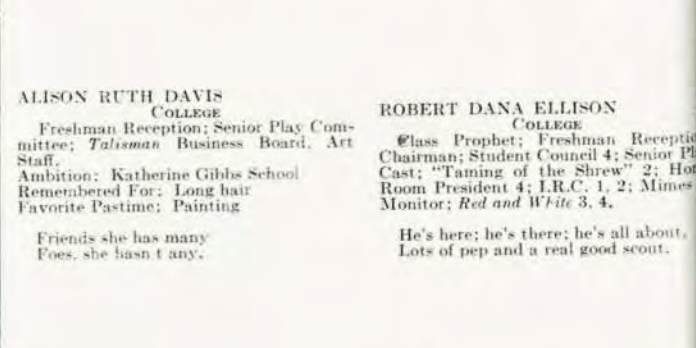
**JOAN MARIE FOX** *Foxie*  
ACADEMIC  
Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Senior Reception; Commuters 1, 2; J.V. Cheerleader 1; Girls' Athletic Association 1, 4; I.R.C. 1; Mimes 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1; Senior Play, Cast, Committee; "Taming of the Shrew" 2; "So Wonderful in White"; Home Room Vice-President 1; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Field Hockey 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Ski Club 3, 4; Softball 2, 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 3; Sophomore Hop; *Maple Time* Co-Chairman, Senior Reception.  
Special Talent: Ballet dancing  
Favorite Sport: Skiing  
Outstanding Memory of R.H.S.: SVL Basketball Tournament in '51

One could mark her merry nature by  
The merry twinkle in her eye.



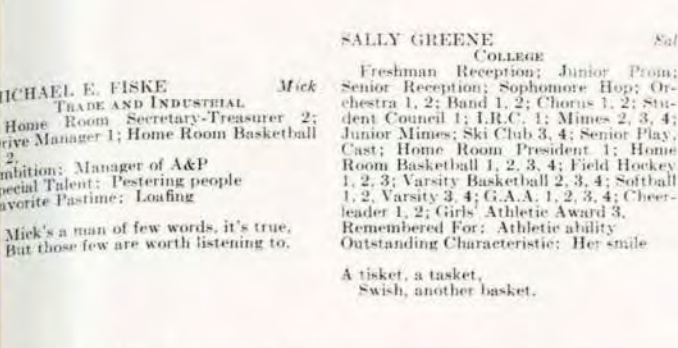
**ANNE FRANZONI** *Jo*  
ACADEMIC  
Transferred from Mount St. Joseph Academy. Commencement; Mimes 3; Senior Play, Properties Chairman, Make-up Committee; Home Room Basketball 3; Council 1, 2; Student Council Talent Show; Field Hockey 4.  
Remembered For: Talking  
Hangout: The Jail  
Pet Peeve: Men

Her little tongue is never still,  
Talk she must, and talk she will.



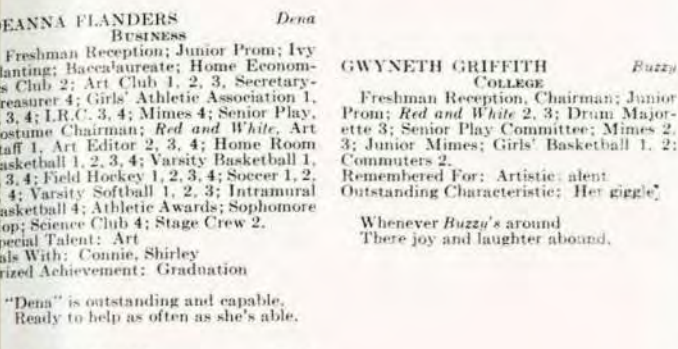
**MARSHALL GALAHER** *Speedy*  
COLLEGE  
Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Commuters 3; Senior Play, Stage Crew; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, Varsity 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Ski Team 4; I.R.C. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sophomore Hop; *Talisman* Art Staff.  
Ambition: To be a teacher  
Hangout: Home in bed  
Pals With: The boys  
Pet Peeve: Homework

Speedy is fun to know  
With a ready wit that's never slow.



**SALLY GREENE** *Sal*  
COLLEGE  
Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Senior Reception; Sophomore Hop; Orchestra 1, 2; Band 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2; Student Council 1; I.R.C. 1; Mimes 2, 3, 4; Junior Mimes; Ski Club 3, 4; Senior Play, Cast; Home Room President 1; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Field Hockey 1, 2, 3; Varsity Basketball 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2; Varsity 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 1, 2; Girls' Athletic Award 3.  
Remembered For: Athletic ability  
Outstanding Characteristic: Her smile

A tisket, a tasket,  
Swish, another basket.



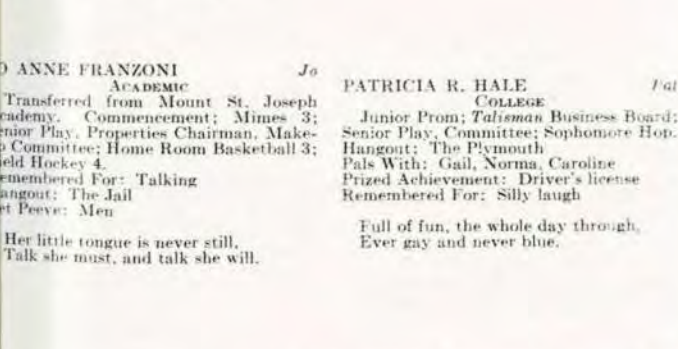
**GWYNETH GRIFFITH** *Buzzy*  
COLLEGE  
Freshman Reception, Chairman; Junior Prom; *Red and White* 2, 3; Drum Major-ette 3; Senior Play Committee; Mimes 2, 3; Junior Mimes; Girls' Basketball 1, 2; Commuters 2.  
Remembered For: Artistic talent  
Outstanding Characteristic: Her giggle

Whenever Buzzy's around  
There joy and laughter abound.



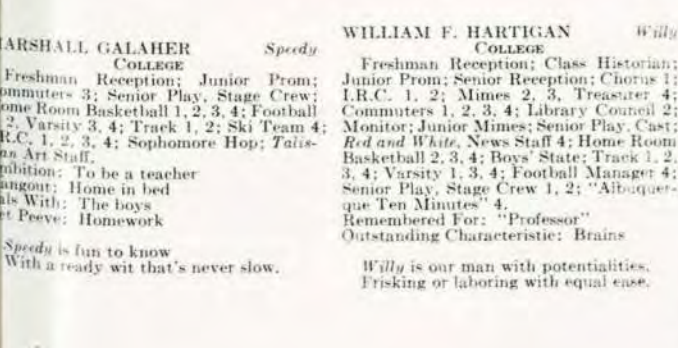
**HAZEL A. GUYETTE**  
BUSINESS  
Commencement; Senior Play, Make-up; Home Room Basketball 1, 2; Field Hockey 1, 2.  
Ambition: To be a Military Correspondent  
Remembered For: Neatness  
Outstanding Characteristic: Pretty hair

Time flies and I'm not going to waste  
any of it.



**PATRICIA R. HALE** *Fai*  
COLLEGE  
Junior Prom; *Talisman* Business Board; Senior Play, Committee; Sophomore Hop; Hangout: The Plymouth  
Pals With: Gail, Norma, Caroline  
Prized Achievement: Driver's license  
Remembered For: Silly laugh

Full of fun, the whole day through,  
Ever gay and never blue.



**WILLIAM F. HARTIGAN** *Willy*  
COLLEGE  
Freshman Reception; Class Historian; Junior Prom; Senior Reception; Chorus 1; I.R.C. 1, 2; Mimes 2, 3; Treasurer 4; Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Council 2; Monitor; Junior Mimes; Senior Play, Cast; *Red and White*, News Staff 4; Home Room Basketball 2, 3, 4; Boys' State; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity 1, 3, 4; Football Manager 4; Senior Play, Stage Crew 1, 2; "Albuquerque Ten Minutes" 4.  
Remembered For: "Professor"  
Outstanding Characteristic: Brains

Willy is our man with potentilities,  
Prisking or laboring with equal ease.







**CHERYL L. HEMENWAY** *Cherry*  
COLLEGE  
Band 2, 3, 4; Commencement Chairman;  
Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4; I.R.C. 4; Monitor;  
Favorite Sport: Skating  
Ambition: To teach  
Hangout: Home

Quiet and nice, she drives the clouds  
away,  
Cheryl's a pleasant part of everybody's  
day.



**LOUISE B. HENDEE** *Weezie*  
BUSINESS  
G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Junior Mimes; *Talisman*  
Business Board; Senior Play Usher; Grad-  
uation Usher 3; Field Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Girls' Athletic Award 3; Softball 2, 3;  
Soccer 3, 4; Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4.

A witty girl and loads of fun,  
Weezie will suit everyone.



**BERT W. HYLAND**  
BUSINESS  
Camera Club 1; Monitor; *Talisman*  
Business Board; Home Room Basketball  
1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; I.R.C. Honorary  
Remembered For: Constable Warren  
Outstanding Memory: Senior Play  
Pet Peeve: Girls!  
Would Like: Solid session every day

Bert and his car,  
Are bound to go far.



**EVELYN IZENBERG** *Eve*  
COLLEGE  
Class Historian 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; A  
State Band 3; Student Council 3;  
Mimes 2; Vice-President 3; Commuters  
2; Library Council 2; Monitor; Jun-  
ior Mimes; Sophomore Hop; *Maple Time*  
*Red and White* Newswriter 1, 2; Assistant  
Editor 3; Associate Editor 4; *Talisman*  
Literary Editor; Home Room Drive Man-  
ager 2; President 3, 4; Honors for the Year  
National Honor Society 3; President  
Vermont Student Council Association  
Treasurer 3; Delegate to National Con-  
ference, Portland, Oregon 3; Senior Play  
Cast 4; 2nd Prize, Elks' Youth Leaders-  
hip Contest; Salutatorian.  
Outstanding Memory: Portland trip  
Prized Achievement: Being elected to  
state office

A willing worker with lots to do,  
A ready smile and friendly, too.



**MYRA HOPPER** *Hedda*  
COLLEGE  
Transferred from Kingston High School,  
Kingston, N. Y. Class Night; Freshman  
Reception; Junior Prom; Drum Major-  
ette 3, 4; Head Twirler 4; Monitor; Senior  
Play Committee; *Talisman* Business  
Board; Field Hockey 3; Basketball 3, 4;  
Cheerleader and Majorette Assembly 4;  
*Snowball Hop* 4; *Maple Time* 2.  
Remembered For: Snappy majoretting  
Outstanding Characteristic: Blonde hair  
Pet Peeve: Homewerk

A snappy blonde with plenty of pep,  
That's our blue-eyed majorette.



**BETTY ARLENE JACKSON** *Civic*  
Home Room Activities 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Special Talent: Drawing  
Favorite Pastime: Watching T.V.  
Prized Achievement: Graduation  
Someday you will see,  
An artist she'll be.



**BEVERLY DOROTHY HORTON** *Bet*  
ACADEMIC  
Junior Prom; Class Night; Orchestra 2,  
3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 3; Student  
Council 2; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Mimes 3, 4;  
Library Council 2; All-State Band 2, 3, 4;  
Senior Play Cast; Home Room President  
2; Vice-President 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Field Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Ski Club 3; Base-  
ball 1, 2, 3, 4; "So Wonderful in White" 3;  
Commencement Essayist.  
Ambition: To be a nurse  
Special Talent: Music  
Pals With: Janet, Sib, and gang

Bet is lots of fun to know,  
Full of life and on the go!



**RUTH L. JOHNSON** *Ruth*  
COLLEGE  
Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4; President  
Library Council 3, 4; Assistant Busi-  
ness Manager 3; President 4; I.R.C. 3, 4; Ho-  
mies Club, Treasurer 1.  
Remembered For: Pretty clothes  
Hangout: The truck  
Outstanding Memory: Speaking in  
assembly  
Would Like Changed: Some teachers

A friend to have, a friend to need,  
Ruthy will always be a friend inde-



**RONALD HORTON**  
TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL  
Freshman Reception; Senior Play Staff,  
Committee; Home Room Vice-President 1,  
Secretary-Treasurer 2, 4; Home Room  
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Varsity 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Var-  
sity 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity 2,  
3, 4.  
Favorite Pastime: Barb  
Prized Achievement: All-Tournament  
Team

Ronny's a fellow of great versatility  
Full of life, and a pleasing personality.



**MARY ELLEN LUBINSKY** *Honey*  
BUSINESS  
*Talisman* Business Board; Senior Play  
Committee; Graduation Usher 3; Senior  
Play Usher 4; Home Room Basketball 1, 2;  
Basketball 1, 2.  
Ambition: Children's Nurse  
Special Talent: Embroidery  
Pet Peeve: Girls who smoke  
Pals With: Betty and Mary Ellen

Twinkling eyes and a merry manner,  
Make Mary welcome wherever she goes.

**ANET LINDSAY JUDKINS** *Jud*  
COLLEGE  
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; All-State Band 2; Chorus  
2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; All-State  
Orchestra 3, 4; Junior Prom; Sophomore Hop;  
Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4; I.R.C. 1, 2; Junior  
Mimes 4; Senior Play Cast.  
Ambition: Concert Bassoonist  
Pet Peeve: Gossip  
Pals With: Bet, Dufo, Sandy  
This peppy miss whose forte is her music,  
Seems to know the secret of success and  
popularity.

**BEVERLY LORRAINE LASANTE** *Bee*  
BUSINESS  
Senior Play Committee.  
Ambition: Dancer  
Remembered For: Serving ice cream  
Favorite Pastime: Talking  
Pals With: Phyllis

Beverly is quiet, but gets a lot done,  
It's a pleasure when you get to know her.



**PATRICIA ELIZABETH KEEFE** *Pat*  
COLLEGE  
Freshman Reception; Sophomore Hop,  
Chairman; Junior Prom; *Maple Time*,  
Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; I.R.C.  
Home Room President 1; Senior Play  
Committee; Girls' State; Field Hockey 1,  
2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 2, 3;  
Volleyball 2, 3.  
Ambition: To be a nurse  
Prized Achievement: Girls' State  
Friendly, studious, and efficient, too,  
Pat manages to get the best out of life  
and share it.

**CONCETTA MARIE LAVECCHIA** *Connie*  
BUSINESS  
Freshman Reception; Sophomore Hop;  
Junior Prom; Home Room Secretary-  
Treasurer 3; Junior Mimes; District Play  
Contest; Assistant Director Mimes Play 2;  
Stage Crew 1; Senior Play Staff; Com-  
muters 2, 3, 4; I.R.C. 2, 3, 4; Recording  
Secretary 2; Mimes 2, 3, 4; Monitor.  
Special Talents: Sewing and cooking  
Prized Achievements: Assistant Director  
of "Our Town" and Monitor.

Connie is quiet and dependable,  
And has a sly little twinkle in her eye.



**GAIL E. LEAR** *Gail*  
BUSINESS  
*Talisman* Business Board; Home Eco-  
nomies Club 1.  
Ambition: Secretary  
Favorite Pastime: Square dancing  
Pet Peeve: People who snap gum  
Pals With: Pat, Norm, Louise

This chic young lady holds up her end of  
any discussions  
Equally well in class and in study hall.



**DANIEL JEROME KENNEDY** *Dapper*  
COLLEGE  
Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Room  
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Varsity 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Varsity  
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4.  
Ambition: Coaching  
Favorite Sport: Baseball  
Special Talent: Girls  
Outstanding Memory: Graduation  
A nice personality, a likable disposition,  
Cooperative, ambitious—no wonder Dan  
is popular.



**GEORGIA NICHOLAS LOURAS** *Georgia*  
COLLEGE  
Freshman Reception; Sophomore Hop;  
Junior Prom Chairman; *Maple Time* 3;  
"Fiesta"; *Red and White* 2, 3, 4; Assistant  
Business Manager 3; Business Manager 4;  
*Talisman* Business Board; Good Citizen-  
ship Girl; Home Room Secretary-Treas-  
urer 2; National Honor Society 3, 4;  
Monitor; Chorus Publicity 3, 4; I.R.C. 1, 2,  
3, 4; Project Chairman 2, 3; Vice-President  
4.  
Ambition: To teach  
Prized Achievement: National Honor  
Society, Junior Year  
Always busy, hurrying from task to task,  
Georgia has time for a smile and a gay  
greeting.



**HILIP W. KNAPP, JR.** *Phil*  
COLLEGE  
Senior Play Staff; Home Room Vice-  
President 1, 3, 4; Home Room Basketball  
2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity 2, 3;  
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity 2, 3, 4;  
Captain 4; Baseball 1.  
Ambition: College  
Favorite Sport: Basketball  
Would Like Changed: Marking system  
Phil has been a tower of strength,  
Both in the gym and in the home room.



**RICHARD LANDON**  
TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL  
Home Room Activities,  
Outstanding Memory: Senior year  
Remembered For: Dependability  
Favorite Pastime: Doing everything right  
Richard's a boy who'll really be missed  
He's just the one to top anyone's list.







**CHESTER J. LULEK**  
*Chet*  
 ACADEMIC  
 Favorite Sport: Basketball  
 Special Talent: Artist  
 Favorite Pastime: Fooling in study hall  
 Hangout: Bill's  
 Pals With: Bill and George  
 Prized Achievement: Graduation

"Why should the devil have all the fun?"



**ROBERT E. MILLER**  
*Thompage*  
 TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL  
 Mimes 4; Library Council 1; Senior Play Committee; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3; What I'd Like Changed: Detention  
 Pet Peeve: Dizzy dames  
 Favorite Pastime: Working on cars  
 Outstanding Characteristic: Friendly attitude

"The best way to have a friend is to be one."



**YVONNE MAGEE**  
 COLLEGE  
 Transferred from Washington Academy, Salem, N. Y.  
 Girls' Athletic Association 3, 4; Mimes 4; Art Club 4; Senior Play Committee; *Talisman* Business Board; Basketball 4; Senior Play Usher; Girls' Varsity Basketball 3  
 Ambition: to be a teacher  
 Remembered For: Talking  
 Prized Achievement: Snookie's argyles

"Her little tongue is never still;  
 Talk it must, and talk it will."



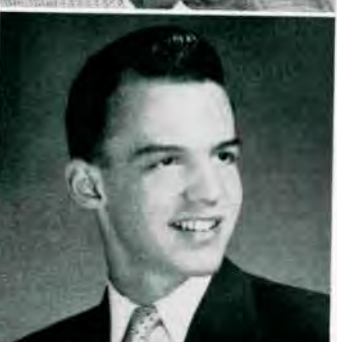
**WILLIAM MOREAU**  
*Bill*  
 ACADEMIC  
 Senior Play Staff  
 Ambition: Stock-car driver  
 Special Talent: Eating  
 Pet Peeve: Stuck-up girls  
 Outstanding Memory: Freshman year  
 Outstanding Characteristic: Unusual eyes  
 Prized Achievement: Driver's license

"There is nothing more to say, and he pulled down his hat."



**GEORGE McMASTER**  
 COLLEGE  
*Red and White* Guest Writer 4; Home Room Vice-President 1; Drive Manager 4; Audio-Visual Crew 1, 2, 3, 4; Sophomore Hop; "Oil Progress Week" Assembly  
 Ambition: Plenty  
 Favorite Sport: Stock Car Racing  
 Pet Peeve: School  
 Pals With: Bill, Bruce, Dick, Dave, Bob

A good mind and a ready wit.



**M. ROBERT MULHOLLAND, JR.**  
 COLLEGE  
 Class Vice-President 4; Class Will; National Honor Society 4; Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, Section Leader 2, 3, 4; Student Director 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mimes 4; Commuters 3, 4; Monitor; Senior Play Cast; School Play 2; *Talisman* Editorial Staff, Assistant; Home Room Basketball 1, 3, 4; Football 1, 2; Varsity Ski Team 1, 2, 3, 4; All-State Band 3, 4; All-New England Band 3  
 Remembered For: "Five Sharps"  
 Prized Achievement: 50 meter jump at Middlebury

"The master mixture of rare blend,  
 Bob fits in most anywhere."



**FROMAN S. MEHL**  
 COLLEGE  
*Fro*  
 Junior Prom; Assistant Band Manager 2, 3; L.R.C. 1, 3; Commuters 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Cast, Committee; *Red and White* Business Board; *Talisman* Business Board; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2; Basketball 1; Sophomore Hop

Ambition: Hotel manager  
 What I'd Like Changed: English classes  
 Pet Peeve: "Walking"

Fro has the personality and ambition  
 To be successful on any mission.



**BERT MUZZY**  
 COLLEGE  
*Muzz*  
 Ivy Planting and Baccalaureate, Co-Chairman; Monitor; Boys' State; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Commencement Essayist  
 Ambition: To own a big farm  
 Remembered For: Not talking  
 Hangout: "Slab City" and vicinity  
 Pet Peeve: People who talk too much  
 Outstanding Characteristic: Looking solemn and serious  
 Prized Achievement: Boys' State, member of the "Big Four"

"A quiet exterior conceals much."



**SHIRLEY MERRILL**  
 BUSINESS  
 Freshman Reception; Monitor; *Red and White* Typist 3, 4; *Talisman* Business Board Manager; National Honor Society 4  
 Ambition: To be a secretary  
 Favorite Pastime: Writing letters  
 Pet Peeve: People late for appointments  
 Prized Achievement: Monitor

Reserved but friendly,  
 Calm, yet jolly.



**SANDRA M. NORCROSS**  
 COLLEGE  
*Sandy*  
 Freshman Reception; Commencement; Orchestra 4; Band 1, 3, 4; Section Leader 4; Chorus 3, 4; L.R.C. 3, 4; Mimes 4; Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Council 3; Junior Mimes; Senior Play Cast; *Red and White*, Girls' Sports Writer 3, 4; All-State Band 3; All-State Orchestra 4; All-New England Orchestra 4; Audition Festival Concert 4  
 Ambition: First clarinet with Boston Symphony Orchestra  
 Prized Achievement: New England Solo and Ensemble Concert

"She shall have music wherever she goes."

**EARLE C. O'BRIEN**  
 TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL  
*O'Br*  
 Home Room Activities  
 Remembered For: Being nice  
 Special Talent: Swimming  
 What I'd Like Changed: School hours  
 Favorite pastime: Women  
 Prized Achievement: Senior essay

"The roads won't seem the same  
 Without C'Br and his Chevy."

**MAUREEN F. O'GRADY**  
 ACADEMIC  
*Ma*  
 Transferred from M. S. J. Academy  
 Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Senior Reception; Class Night; G.A.A. 4; Mimes 4; Commuters 4; Senior Play Cast; *Maple Time*  
 What I'd Like Changed: School-changing  
 Favorite Pastime: Listening to records  
 Pals With: Barb, Myra

In her two years with us  
 Ma has made her mark at R.H.S.

**ERNEST E. OLSON**  
 TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL  
*Swede*  
 Senior Play Committee; Home Room Activities  
 Favorite sport: Football  
 Special talent: Working on cars  
 Favorite Pastime: Cars

"The right man in the right place."

**ARTHUR PAPINEAU**  
 Changed to Five Year Course

**JOHN R. PATTEN**  
 COLLEGE  
 Junior Prom; Library Council 2; Monitor; Junior Mimes; Senior Play Staff; Junior Mimes Play; *Red and White* Sports Editor 2, 3, 4; Home Room Secretary-Treasurer 4; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' State; Football 2, 3, 4; Varsity Football 3, 4; Stage Manager 2; Stage Crew 1, 2

Remembered For: The Jaguar  
 Pals With: "The Big Four"  
 Outstanding Memory: Eclipse at Grovers' Corners

"The will to do and the heart to dare."

**DOROTHY C. PAUL**  
 COLLEGE  
*Dot*  
 Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Class Night; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Commuters 2; Library Council 3; Junior Mimes; G.A.A. 4; L.R.C. 2, 3, 4; Mimes 2, 3, 4; Secretary 4; Senior Play Cast, Committee; "Taming of the Shrew" 2; *Red and White* Newswriter 3, 4; *Talisman* Editorial Board; Home Room Basketball 1; Field Hockey 1, 2; Basketball 1; All-State Band 3; Ski Club 3; Sophomore Hop 2; "Safari" 4; Graduation Usher 3; Junior Usher; *Maple Time*  
 Ambition: To ski in Sun Valley  
 What I'd Like: Mr. Purdy's teaching all classes

Busy, busy is our Dot  
 She is always on the spot

**SANDRA C. PAUL**  
 COLLEGE  
*Sandy*  
 Class President 2; Class Secretary-Treasurer 3; Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Senior Reception; Class Night; Student Council 2, 3; Secretary-Treasurer 2; Vice-President 3; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Council 3; Monitor; Senior Play Committee; Home Room President 2, 3; Home Room Basketball 2, 3; Girls' State; Field Hockey 2, 3; Basketball 3; Soccer 3; Sophomore Hop 2; *Maple Time* 3; Cheerleaders' and Majorettes' Assembly 4  
 Remembered For: Cheerleading

"Beauty is its own excuse for being."

**DOREEN PERRY**  
 BUSINESS  
*Denny*  
 Home Room Activities  
 Ambition: Secretary  
 Remembered For: Gum chewing  
 Special Talent: Singing  
 Pet Peeve: Boys  
 Prized Achievement: Driver's license

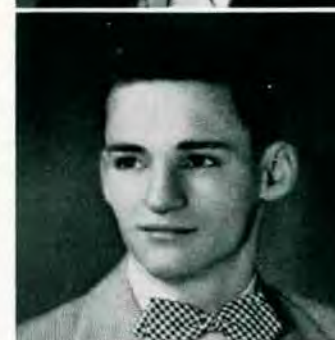
Little Denny, so happy and gay,  
 Keeps us laughing all the day.

**DAVID CARMINE PETRAGLIA**  
 COLLEGE  
*Dave*  
 Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Section Leader 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mimes; President 4; Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4; Monitor; Senior Play Cast; Mimes Play Cast 4; *Talisman* Editorial Staff Assistant; Home Room Vice-President 1; Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' State; Track 1, 2, 3; Varsity Ski Team 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 3, 4; All-State Orchestra 2, 3; All-State Band 4  
 Special Talents: Playing trombone, skiing  
 Pet Peeve: Girls with knee socks

"Our Town's" doctor; an exceedingly capable and respected citizen.

**JEAN AVIS PETTY**  
 ACADEMIC  
*Pete*  
 Senior Play Cast; *Talisman* Business Board; Home Room Basketball 1; Graduation Usher  
 Ambition: Beautician  
 Special Talent: Cooking  
 Favorite Pastime: Bill  
 Outstanding Memory of High School: Senior Play

With *Pete's* talent and ambition  
 She will make a fine beautician.







**JEAN PINKOWSKI** *J. P.*  
BUSINESS

Graduation Usher; Senior Play Usher 3;  
*Red and White* Typist 4; *Talisman* Business  
Board; Commuters 3.  
Ambition: To be an ideal secretary  
Pet Peeve: Girls who smoke  
Hangout: A certain Pontiac  
Outstanding Memory: Typing for *Red  
and White*

Jeanie, in her quiet sort of way,  
Spends the day in work and play



**BETTY A. RUANE**

ACADEMIC

Freshman Reception; Senior Play  
Committee; Basketball 1.  
Ambition: To be a nurse  
Remembered For: Pretty clothes

So quiet and modest a lass  
Many talents she has.



**MARY LOU REEDY**

*Lulu*

COLLEGE  
*Talisman* Editor-in-Chief; Drum Major-  
ette 2, 3, 4; Drum Major 4; Senior Play  
Cast; Cheerleaders' and Majorettes' As-  
sembly 4; District First Prize, Edmunds  
Essay Contest 3; Home Room Vice-  
President 3, 4; Freshman Reception;  
Sophomore Hop; Junior Prom 3; Senior  
Reception; *Maple Time* 3; "Snowball Hop"  
4; Mimes Plays 2, 3; Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4;  
L.R.C. 1; Library 3; Mimes 2, 3, 4; Treas-  
urer 3; Bicycle Judge 4; Field Hockey 3;  
Home Room Basketball 3, 4; Soccer 3;  
Softball 1, 4; Ski Team 3; Mimes Play;  
Stage Manager 4; Speech Festival 2.  
Favorite Pastime: Stu  
Remembered For: Peppy strut

Whether she's twirling or acting or  
writing  
Mary Lou finds it all exciting.



**SHIRLEY ANN RICE**

*Shirl*

COLLEGE  
Freshman Reception; Junior Prom;  
Chairman; Commencement; Class Song  
Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1,  
2, 3, 4; Student Council 1; Commuters 1,  
2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 3; Junior Mimes; Mimes 2;  
Library Council 1, 3; Monitor; Senior  
Play Staff; Home Room President 1;  
Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3; National  
Honor Society 3, 4; Vice-President 4;  
Girls' State; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity  
3, 4.  
Ambition: Marriage and family  
Outstanding Memory: "April in Paris"

When Shirley makes up her mind,  
What she wants, she's sure to find.



**MARY ELLEN ROUSSEAU**

*Toots*

CIVIC  
Senior Play Committee; *Talisman*  
Business Board; Home Room Basketball  
1, 2; Class Basketball 2; Senior Play  
Usher 4.  
Special Talent: Drawing  
Hangout: Newberry's  
Pet Peeve: Conceited boys  
Prized Achievement: Graduation

*Toot's* interests range from sports to art  
And she will always do her part.



**BRADLEY J. SANBORN**

TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL

Home Room Vice-President 1;  
Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior  
Committee; Football 1, 2.  
Ambition: Get-rich-quick  
Favorite Pastime: Sleeping  
Hangout: Park Avenue

Likeable *Brad* will travel far  
With or without his car.



**CAROLYN FAY ROWELL**

*Carole*

BUSINESS  
Transferred from Arlington Memorial  
School, Arlington, Vermont. Senior Play  
Cast, Committee; Commuters 4; L.R.C.  
Assistant Treasurer.  
Special Talent: Debating  
Remembered For: L.R.C.

L.R.C. is her forte.



**ANDREW SCOTT**

COLLEGE

Transferred from Mount Saint Jo  
Academy. Senior Play Committee;  
Secretary 4; Class Song; Commu-  
ters 4; *Talisman* Photography Ed-  
itor; Home Room Basketball 4.  
Ambition: A diploma from college  
Pet Peeve: Giggling girls  
Special Talent: Photography

Quiet when laboring, carefree at play  
A bit of all right, anytime.



**PHYLLIS ANN SOULIA**

*Phyl*

BUSINESS  
Monitor; Home Room Basketball 1, 2,  
3; Senior Play Committee; Field Hockey 3;  
Volleyball 3.  
Ambition: To be happy  
Remembered For: Having fun  
Special Talent: Talking

In heart, in mind, in spirit gay,  
Be ever what you are today.



**SHIRLEY SEAGER**

ACADEMIC

Freshman Reception; Sophomore Hop;  
Orchestra 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Commuters  
2, 3; Library Council 2, 3, 4; Junior Mimes;  
L.R.C. 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Staff; *Red and  
White* 2, 3, 4; *Talisman* Business Board;  
Basketball 1, 2; Field Hockey 1; All-State  
Band 2, 3; All-New England Band 4; All-  
State Orchestra 4; All-New England Con-  
cert Festival 3; All-New England Solo and  
Ensemble Festival 4.  
Pet Peeve: Snobbish people  
Special Talent: Clarinet  
Outstanding Memory: Band Festivals

Flashing along in a merry mood  
Tremors of her laughter never cease.

**STUART H. ST. PETER**

COLLEGE

Class Vice-President 3; Freshman  
Reception; Sophomore Hop; Junior P.  
Chorus 1; Senior Play Cast; Class  
Committee; Home Room Vice-President  
3, 4; Home Room Basketball  
2, 3, 4; Captain 1, 2; Student Council  
Vermont State Student Council  
President 3; National Student  
Convention Delegate 3; Junior Li-  
*Maple Time* 3; Commuters 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity 2, 3, 4; Cap-  
tain 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity 2,  
3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Varsity Baseball 1, 2;  
Varsity Club 1; Southern Vermont  
Star Team 4.  
Favorite Pastime: Lou  
Remembered For: Great athletic ab-

Stu is our All-American  
An answer to the coaches' prayers.

**CAROLINE SEVERANCE**

*Candy*

BUSINESS  
Commuters 2; Home Economics Club 1;  
*Talisman* Business Board; Home Room  
Basketball 2, 3; Field Hockey 1, 2.  
Ambition: Marriage  
Special Talent: Dancing  
Pet Peeve: Gossips  
Falls With: Jean, Shirley, and Betty

**BETTY JEAN SHACKETT**

ACADEMIC

Freshman Reception; Junior Prom;  
G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 3; President 4;  
L.R.C. 4; Mimes 4; Class Night Chairman;  
*Red and White* Typist 3, 4; Senior Play  
Cast; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Field Hockey 1,  
2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3.  
Ambition: To swim the English Channel  
Like To Change: My marks  
Prized Achievement: Friends

What sports means to her  
She means to us.

**BARBARA ANN SHEEHE**

*Barb*

BUSINESS  
Commuters 3, 4; G.A.A. 4; Senior Play  
Cast and Staff; Field Hockey 4; Freshman  
Reception. Transferred from Mount Saint  
Joseph Academy.  
Ambition: Secretary  
Special Talent: Talking  
Prized Achievement: Varsity Hockey  
letter  
Pet Peeve: Unfriendly people

Attractive, neat and gay  
A host of friends all the day.

**SHEILA ANN SULLIVAN**

ACADEMIC

Freshman Reception; Junior Prom; Art  
Club, Treasurer 3, 4; Commuters 1, 2, 3,  
4; G.A.A. 2, 4; Mimes 2, 4; Senior Play  
Staff; *Red and White* 2, 3, 4; *Talisman* Art  
Editor; Drive Manager 1, 2, 3, 4; Home  
Room Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity 4;  
Field Hockey 1, 2, 4; Sophomore Hop;  
Softball 1, 2; Bicycle Court Judge; Free-  
doms Foundation Award 3; *Time Maga-  
zine* Award 4; Mimes Plays 2; Regular  
Stage Crew 2; Intramural Basketball 4;  
Soccer 1, 2, 3.  
Ambition: Old maid school teacher  
Favorite Pastime: Square dancing  
Hangout: Any convenient spot  
Prized Achievement: Going to Valley  
Forge

True to her word, her work, and her  
friends.

**JOANNA TAFT**

COLLEGE

Freshman Reception; Junior Prom;  
*Maple Time* 3; Ivy Planting and Baccala-  
ureate Co-Chairman; Sophomore Hop;  
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Com-  
muters 1, 2, 3, 4; Monitor; Cheerleader 1,  
2, 3, 4; Junior Mimes, Secretary; Mimes 2,  
3, 4; Ski Club 3, 4; *Red and White* News  
Writer 1, 2; Assistant Editor 3; Editor-in-  
Chief 4; Home Room Secretary 1; Basket-  
ball 1; Girls' State; Field Hockey 1; Soft-  
ball 1; All-State Orchestra 2, 3, 4; First  
Alternates for Girls' Nation; All-New Eng-  
land Chorus 4; National Honor Society 4.  
Favorite Sports: Skiing and swimming  
Hangout: Pico ski hut

Brimming over with zeal and zest,  
Laboring always for the finest and the  
best.



**GEORGE TARBELL**

COLLEGE

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1; L.R.C. 1.  
Ambition: To be a doctor  
Pet Peeve: Home work  
Outstanding Memory: Chemistry Class

'Tis fine when things seem wrong  
To encounter sunshine, smiles and song.



**MARY ELLEN THOMAS**

*Tommy*

ACADEMIC  
Home Room Vice-President 1; Secre-  
tary-Treasurer 2; Junior Mimes; Commu-  
ters 1, 2, 3, 4; Sophomore Hop; Christmas  
Pantomime 2; *Maple Time* 3; Junior Prom;  
Mimes 2; Ski Club 3, 4; Freshman Recep-  
tion; Senior Play Cast; Senior Reception;  
Varsity Field Hockey, Chairman 4; Intra-  
mural Basketball 4; G.A.A. 4; *Talisman*  
Business Board; Baseball 2, 3.  
Remembered For: All those clothes  
Special Talent: Laughing

Vivid of personality, as she is of looks,  
Mary's vibrant and excels at books.

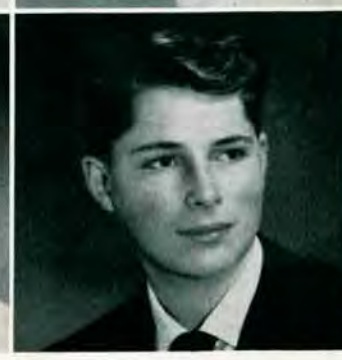


**RICHARD H. TOWER**

COLLEGE

Senior Play Cast; Home Room Basket-  
ball 1, 2, 3, 4; L.R.C. 2; Mimes 4; Com-  
muters 1, 2; Mimes Play 2; Christmas  
Pageant 3; "Yumatsu Kumi" 3; "Fiesta"  
2; Varsity Track 2, 3, 4.  
Ambition: Car dealer  
Favorite Pastime: Girls  
Favorite Sport: Track

An air of pleasant informality  
A laughing personality.







**ALBERT H. TRINCI** *Bud*  
TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL  
Commuters 1, 2; Senior Play Cast;  
Home Room Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 2,  
3, 4; Varsity 3, 4; Track 1, 2.  
Ambition: Navy Jet Pilot  
Outstanding Memory: '54's Junior Prom  
Hangout: "The Hill"  
Special Talent: Skating  
Favorite Sport: Football

Always happy, never dull  
Where Bud is—there's never a lull.



**KENNETH WHITE** *Ken*  
COLLEGE  
Class President 4; Band 1; Commuters 3,  
4; Monitor; Senior Play Cast; Football 3,  
4; Track 3, 4; Chorus 4.  
Ambition: To be a farmer  
Favorite Sport: Football  
Hangout: Burke's  
Outstanding Memory: Mrs. Morrill

Quiet and friendly, but there is more  
Going on in that mind than meets the  
eye.



**WILLIAM H. WAITE** *Bill*  
TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL  
Freshman Reception; Band 1; Rifle  
Club 1.  
Favorite Sport: Baseball  
Ambition: Army  
Outstanding Memory: Assemblies  
Prized Achievement: Graduation  
Pals With: Gouber Adamsen

His best labor was killing time.



**JOHN WILLIAM WOOD** *Woody*  
TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL  
Home Room Basketball 1; Home Room  
Activities  
Favorite Pastime: Sports  
Ambition: Graduation  
Hangout: Chittenden  
Outstanding Memory: Having a good  
time  
Pals With: Art Bradish  
Favorite Sport: Skating

Happy am I, from care I'm free  
Why aren't they all content like me?



**GARY L. WELLS** *Wellsie*  
BUSINESS  
Freshman Reception; Baccalaureate;  
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stu-  
dent Council 1; Senior Play Staff; Home  
Room President 1.  
Pals With: Dave, Bob, Dick, Bill, Bud  
Outstanding Memory: Band trips  
Remembered For: Music  
Prized Achievement: Graduation

With his good humor and broad smile  
He'll be missed all the while.



**GERALD E. YOUNG** *Jerry*  
BUSINESS  
Home Room Basketball 1, 2; Home  
Room Activities.  
Prized Achievement: Graduation  
Pals With: Don Sharon, Don King  
Ambition: Successful business  
Pet Peeve: Some girls  
Hangout: Movie theaters

As a friendly, dependable fellow  
Jerry we shall all remember.



**ROBERT L. WHITCOMB** *Whit*  
TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL  
Mimes 4; Rifle Club 1; Senior Play  
Staff; Track 1.  
Favorite Sport: Skating  
Pals With: Bud, John, Dick  
Favorite Pastime: Loafing  
Outstanding Memory: Senior Play  
Ambition: Have my own business

Not too merry, not too sad  
Whit is such an easy-going lad.



**SANDRA PAULINE ZOBIE** *Sandie*  
BUSINESS  
Transferred from Bellows Falls High  
School. Science Club 4.

It didn't take us long to like  
Her quiet manner and friendliness.



**JOY E. WHITE**  
COLLEGE  
Freshman Reception; Junior Prom;  
Sophomore Hop; Band 2, 3, 4; All-State  
Band 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; All-New  
England Chorus 4; Commuters 2; I.R.C. 3,  
4; Monitor; *Talisman* Editorial Board;  
*Red and White* Typist 4; Senior Play Cast;  
Home Room Vice-President 2; Secretary-  
Treasurer 3; Library Council 3.  
Favorite Pastime: Friends  
Outstanding Memory: Band trips  
Hangout: Babcock's  
Prized Achievement: All-New England  
Chorus

Remembered for her personality,  
Ladylike manner, and neat appearance.

**JOHN M. HALL**  
COLLEGE  
Senior Reception; Junior Mimes;  
I.R.C. 1.  
Favorite Sport: Baseball  
Pals With: Bill Hartigan  
Outstanding Memory: English teachers  
Favorite Pastime: Photography  
Ambition: To become a photographer

He never says too much.  
"Be silent and safe."

**STANLEY BASSETT**  
TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL  
Home Room Activities.  
Favorite Sport: Football  
Ambition: Auto mechanic  
What I'd Like Changed: Long school hours  
Favorite Pastime: Swimming  
Remembered For: Quietness

Of every noble work  
The silent part is best.

**THOMAS COPPS** *T-Cup*  
COLLEGE  
Senior Play Staff; Home Room Activ-  
ities.  
Favorite Pastime: Working on cars  
Ambition: Own a garage  
Outstanding Memory: Detention  
Favorite Sport: Skiing  
Pals With: Chucker, Ernie  
Special Talent: Getting into trouble

Easy going, friendly too—  
Always at leisure—that's Tom.



**CLARENCE I. RIDER**  
TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL  
Home Room Basketball 1; Football 1.  
Special Talent: Mathematics  
Ambition: Machinist  
Favorite Sport: Baseball  
Pals With: Pat Briggs  
Outstanding Memory: R.H.S.-M.S.J.  
football game, 1952  
Favorite Pastime: Dancing

Clarence will never worry or fret  
We know he's sure to have his wishes yet.



**MERRILL BRIGGS** *Pat*  
TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL  
Football 1, 2; Varsity 3, 4.  
Ambition: Navy  
Favorite Sport: Football  
What I'd Like Changed: Home work  
Pals With: Clarence  
Outstanding Memory: Machine shop boys  
Prized Achievement: Diploma

A mind of his own, the will to do.



**NANCY ANN BORDEAU** *Nance*  
ACADEMIC  
Commuters 3, 4; Art Club 3, 4; *Red and  
White* Solicitor 1, 2; Home Room Basket-  
ball 1, 2, 3; Field Hockey 2, 3; Basketball  
1, 2; Baseball 1; Bowling 2; Senior Play  
Usher 3.  
Special Talent: Artistic ability  
Hangout: Braves' Spa  
Prized Achievement: Graduation  
Outstanding Memory: Chemistry class,  
1954

Wavy dark hair, eyes so blue  
This smiling lass is friendly, too.



**VICTOR TOMLINSON**  
TRADE AND INDUSTRIAL  
Home Room Activities.  
Victor and his scooter.



## FORMER MEMBERS OF THE CLASS OF 1954

THOMAS ARZBERGER  
HAROLD BAKER  
CLIFFORD BARTHOLOMEW  
SHIRLEY BATES  
EDWARD BOYNTON  
RICHARD BREWSTER  
SUSAN BRIGGS  
GARLAND BROWN  
HAROLD BURKE  
LEONARD BURKE  
LORRAINE BURNEY  
RETA BUSHEE  
JOHN CAHEE  
CHARLOTTE CHENEY  
DONALD DAIGLE  
LOUIS DAY  
GARY DEVENOW  
ELLIOTT DOUGLASS  
RAYMOND DUFFY

CLARA EMERSON  
RICHARD FAVOR  
ROBERT FEARON  
ROBERT FITZSIMMONS  
JUDITH GENO  
FLOYD HAVEN  
MARCIA HAZEN  
BRUCE GERMON  
ROBERT HUGHES  
AUDREY JONES  
CARL KNOX  
JAMES LADUC  
PAUL LAWRENCE  
SHERWOOD LACLAIR  
RAY LEVESQUE  
WALTER MANNEY  
SARFIELD McNULTY  
AUSTIN MILLER  
ROBERT MINARD

LEE MINARD  
SYLVIA PAGE  
HOWARD PAPINEAU  
KEMP PERKINS  
AUDREY POQUETTE  
SHIRLEY RANSOM  
DORIS SEWARD  
DOROTHY SHELDON  
PATRICIA STEVENS  
ROBERT THOMAS  
JANICE VASSAU  
SHIRLEY VASSAU  
JUDITH WALKER  
ARLENE WALTERS  
EDWARD WALTERS  
RICHARD WEINLE  
FRANK WIGGINS  
ANTHONY WHITE  
BEVERLY WHITWORTH



# "OUR TOWN"

On November 23 and 24, the senior class successfully presented the three-act play, "Our Town," by Thornton Wilder, after six weeks of hard preparation and cooperation of the directors, cast, and numerous committees.

The play takes place in Grovers' Corners, New Hampshire, a typical New England town. The story reveals the character of the citizens of this town and how they lived from 1901 through 1914. The first act introduces the location, and illustrates the lives of the citizens during one entire day. The second act centers around the love affair of George Gibbs and Emily Webb, and reaches its high point with a typical wedding scene as a conclusion. The third act takes place in the cemetery where Emily Webb is a newcomer. Here, through experience she finds that it is impossible to relive the past and that happiness will be found only in looking towards the future.

Director--MABEL MORRILL Technical Director--AUDREY HARPER  
Assistant Directors--JUDITH CLARK, CONCETTA LAVECCHIA  
Script Girls--SIBYL CHASE, BARBARA CONSIDINE

Stage Manager	ROBERT ELLISON
Dr. Gibbs	DAVID PETRAGLIA
Joe Crowell	ANTHONY ADAMS
Howie Newsome	KARL DRESCHER
Mrs. Gibbs	MARY LOU REEDY
Mrs. Webb	BEVERLY HORTON
Rebecca Gibbs	CAROL BARTER
George Gibbs	THOMAS EDDY
Wally Webb	MILTON SANDERSON
Emily Webb	JACQUELINE DAWSON
Professor Willard	WILLIAM HARTIGAN
Si Crowell	
Mr. Webb	ROBERT MULHOLLAND
Woman on the Left	JULIE BEANE
First Dead Woman	
Man in the Rear	RICHARD TOWER
Farmer McCarthy	
Lady on the Right	SANDRA NORCROSS
Simon Stimson	EDWARD BARTLETT
Mrs. Soames	PAMELA BABCOCK
Constable Warren	BERT HYLAND
Baseball Players	KENNETH WHITE
	STUART ST. PETER

Narrator--  
ROBERT  
ELLISON



Sam Craig  
Joe Stoddard  
First Dead Man  
Organist  
Second Dead Woman

DANIEL ALLEN  
FROMAN MEHL  
HOWARD COBB  
CHRISTINE BIANCHI

## THE CHOIR

PAMELA BABCOCK  
BEVERLY HORTON  
MARY LOU REEDY  
ANTHONY ADAMS  
JANET JUDKINS  
GEORGIA LOURAS  
DOROTHY PAUL  
CAROL BURNIE  
JOY WHITE  
HOWARD COBB  
AUDREY BROWN  
EDWARD BARTLETT

## PEOPLE OF THE TOWN

BARBARA SHEEHE  
WILLIAM MOREAU  
MAUREEN O'GRADY  
JOAN FOX  
ALBERT TRINCI  
MARY ELLEN THOMAS  
JEAN PETTY  
EVELYN IZENBERG  
BETTY SHACKETT  
CAROLYN ROWELL  
SALLY GREENE  
RICHARD TOWER

## BUSINESS AND PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

Carolyn Rowell (Chairman)  
Joanna Taft  
Shirley Seager  
Yvonne Magee  
Ruth Johnson  
Mary Lubinsky  
Barbara Sheehe  
Dorothy Paul  
Mary Ellen Rousseau  
Phyllis Soulia  
Beverly LaSante  
Froman Mehl  
Andrew Scott

## COSTUME COMMITTEE

Deanna Flanders (Chairman)  
Joyce Boutwell  
Clara Emerson  
Barbara Sheehe  
Betty Shackett  
Mary Ellen Thomas

## SOUND CREW

Ernest Olson  
Bradley Sanborn

## LIGHT CREW

Fred Danforth (Chairman)  
John Patten  
Charles Hudson  
Edward Cole  
Shirley Baker  
Sheila Sullivan  
Bruce Charnley  
Shirley Rice

## PROPERTY COMMITTEE

Joanne Franzoni (Chairman)  
Gail Lear  
Patricia Hale  
Betty Ruane  
Dorothy Paul

## STAGE CREW

Bob Whitcomb (Chairman)  
Tom Copps  
Charles Blanchard  
Gary Wells  
Bob Miller  
Philip Knapp  
MAKE-UP COMMITTEE  
Kathleen Hurley (Chairman)  
Alison Davis  
Joan Fox  
Andrew Scott  
Norma Ackley  
Gwyneth Griffith  
Patricia Keefe  
Maureen O'Grady  
Barbara Sheehe  
Sandra Paul  
Myra Hopper  
Hazel Guyette  
Joanne Franzoni



## SENIOR PLAY CREW

Front row: Robert Whitcomb, Judith Clark, Bradley Sanborn, Ernest Olson, Sibyl Chase, Barbara Considine, Fred Danforth, John Patten, Edward Cole.  
Row two: Charles Blanchard, Charles Hudson, Concetta LaVecchia, Thomas Copps, Shirley Rice, Clara Emerson, Shirley Baker, Deanna Flanders, Joyce Boutwell, Joanne Franzoni, Sheila Sullivan, Bruce Charnley.



## Class History

WILLIAM HARTIGAN

EVELYN IZENBERG

Our four years at Rutland High School have been very memorable ones and filled with events that we will never forget. To help us recall them in future years we, as class historians, shall put down a few of the major accomplishments of the class of '54.

As Freshmen we were about as green as any class before us. But we soon caught on to the ways of our new school. We weren't around too long before we got a call from the Army and in answer to it we marched to the auditorium to sweat out the freshman reception. We survived our basic training and were soon united enough to select our leaders for the year. We chose Judy Clark, Ed Bartlett, and Dan Allen, as our president, vice-president, and secretary-treasurer, respectively.

A few of our gals were selected as J. V. cheerleaders. They included Judy Clark, Joan Fox, Sally Greene, Pat Keefe, and Sandy Paul.

Then our sprouting thespians Tony Adams, John Hall, Connie LaVecchia, Sandy Norcross, and John Patten presented the Junior Mimes play "Antic Spring."

On the sports scene "Chuck" Blanchard brought honor to our lot by earning his letter in football. Our freshman basketball team did well too by copping the Freshman Tournament.

As Sophomores, we got off to a good start by electing Sandy Paul our class president, Ed Bartlett vice-president, and Dan Allen secretary-treasurer. Sandy went even further to become secretary-treasurer of the Student Council.

"Spring Swing," our sophomore hop, was a great success under the chairmanship of Pat Keefe. It was very colorful and considered by many as one of the best dances of the year.

Our pencil pushers, Jo Taft and Evie Izenberg, moved higher on the *Red and White* staff by being selected assistant editors.

Phil Knapp, Stu St. Peter, and Ron Horton represented our class on the varsity basketball team that went to the New England Tournament.

"Chuck" Blanchard, Marsh Galaher, Phil Knapp, Tom Eddy, Ron Horton, and Stu St. Peter helped to strengthen the school football team which won the State Championship that year, and Sandy Paul and Pat Keefe were chosen to the varsity cheering squad.

At last we joined the ranks of the upperclassmen. To lead us we elected Ed Bartlett, Stu St. Peter, and Sandy Paul.

Stu St. Peter and Evie Izenberg were elected vice-president and treasurer of the Vermont Student Council Association and as state officers attended the national convention in Portland, Oregon.

Our journalists moved even higher on the *Red and White* staff with Jo Taft being selected editor, Evie Izenberg associate editor, and Georgia Louras as business manager. Shirley Seager was picked to head the circulation department. Georgia also spread our fame by traveling to Europe as a participant in the International Relations Program.

Again our class was well represented on the sports scene. Stu St. Peter and Phil Knapp displayed their talents on the basketball court and the football field; while Ron Horton and Dan Kennedy aided the baseball team to a successful season.

Our major social undertaking of the year, our junior prom "Evening in Paris," was a great success under the co-chairmanship of Judy Clark and Connie LaVecchia.

Toward the middle of April came the selection of five members of our class for the National Honor Society. Judy Clark, Julie Beane, Evelyn Izenberg, Georgia Louras, and Shirley Rice were chosen on the basis of Character, Scholarship, Leadership, and Service. We were all very proud of them.

In May the delegates to Girls' and Boys' States were chosen. They were Judy Clark, Pat Keefe, Sandy Paul, Shirley Rice, and Jo Taft. The boys included Nathan Adams, Tony Adams, Ed Cole, Bill Hartigan, Charles Hudson, Bert Muzzy, John Patten, and Dave Petraglia. Judy Clark was chosen as a delegate to Girls' Nation, held in Washington, D. C.

Shelia Sullivan was chosen to accept the Freedoms Foundation Award for Rutland High School.

We started our senior and last year with the selection of Ken White, Bob Mulholland, Andy Scott and Dan Allen as our class officers. Ed Bartlett governed well and wisely in his capacity of Student Council President and traffic flowed smoothly under the watchful eyes of Bruce Charnley and his squad of monitors.

We sent chills up and down the spines of the lowly ones to the strains of "Dragnet" at the Freshman Reception.

In our major theatrical attempt Robin Ellison, Jackie Dawson, and Tom Eddy brought to life again the people of "Our Town" and our senior play proved a huge success.



Two of our leading citizens, Cheryl Hemenway and Nathan Adams, were selected to attend the 4-H Club Nation Congress in Chicago and our world traveller Georgia was chosen as D. A. R. Girl.

Athletics played an important part in our senior year, too. Stu St. Peter captained the football team, and along with Phil Knapp, co-captained our S. V. League Championship basketball team. Phil and Ron Horton were named to the All-Tourney Team and Stu was named to the S. V. All-Star Team. Dave Petraglia captained our Ski Team and aided by Tony Adams, Howard Cobb, and Bob Mulholland, it had a very successful year.

Our band did us honor throughout the year with Bob Mulholland capably serving as Student Director and Mary Lou Reedy and Myra Hopper as majorettes.

We chose Mary Lou Reedy and Shirley Merrill as Editor and Business Manager, respectively, of the *Talisman*.

And as a final tribute to our class eight of our number, Nate Adams, Ed Bartlett, Sibyl Chase, Charlie Hudson, Pat Keefe, Shirley Merrill, Bob Mulholland, and Jo Taft, were inducted into the National Honor Society during a solemn ceremony held in April.

## Class Will

ANTHONY ADAMS

ROBERT MULHOLLAND

We, the silver dollars of the class of '1954, having paid our mortgage to Rutland High School, and having filled our money belts with sense, leave this, our interest, to the posterity of R.H.S.

Mary Thomas leaves you to figure out why Cedardale was so popular.

Bill Hartigan and Bert Muzzy leave their cycletron to Mr. Sloan, who hasn't split an atom.

Alison wills her Jeep to brother Norm.

Dick (Casanova) Tower leaves for Washington to have polygamy legalized.

Joyce Boutwell bequeaths her cherry pie recipe to Miss Diette's Home Ec. classes.

Sandy and Janet depart for Oberlin.

Betty Ruane leaves R.H.S.—smiling as usual.

Kathleen drives off in her "Brad" new car.

Tony Adams wills his broken jumping skis to "Tick" Taft.

Bob Whitcomb leaves the stage crew, having been the biggest unseen man in "Our Town."

Shirley Seager leaves as she came—in a brand new Buick.

Milt Sanderson bequeaths his ping pong paddle to brother Carroll.

John Hall wills his razor blades to the Juniors. They've never been used, girls!

Shirley Baker leaves to join the Celtics.

John Patten leaves his ability to get along with teachers to "Flip" Eddy.

Pat Keefe leaves—for Proctor.

Louise leaves in a hurry—John is waiting.

Judy Clark leaves an enviable record for all the underclass girls. Aim high, kids!!



Beverly Horton leaves what is left of her truck to Joan Looker.

Sandy and Phil leave together—How else??

Doreen Perry leaves her gum to "Cheeska."

Gary Wells leaves his front teeth in the trophy case.

Myra Hopper wills her twirling ability to next year's majorettes.

Dave Petraglia leaves many broken hearts.

Sandra Zobie bequeaths her brains to "Rip" McManus so he can pass algebra.

George, the Master chemist, leaves the school a bottle of Air-Wick.

Pam Babcock's vivacious personality goes to Joanie Petraglia, assuring liveliness in the future year.

Jean Pinkowski and Mary Lubinsky leave the last syllable of their names to Mr. Goshgarian for next year's Ski team.

Shirley Merrill departs, singing "Bell Bottom Blues."

Cheryl Hemenway and Audrey Brown leave Mr. Low wondering what he will do for a band next year. Joy White turns the clarinet section over to Ace Leonard which leaves Mr. Low wondering.

Deanna Flanders bequeaths her favorite cow to the underclassmen to assure the continuance of the sport, "cow back riding in the moonlight."

Barbara Considine is apparently a Mark Twain fan. Although not a young man, she certainly *made out* well by going West.

Pat Hale leaves to take the nurses' cap.

Chuck and Tom leave for the drag races in Chuck's Ford.

Bert Hyland leaves his Monitor's post to any Junior with a knowledge of Judo.

Charles Hudson and Cliff Bartholomew leave the Shop. What will the shop teachers do?

Bill Moreau leaves his cars—Is there anything left?

Georgia Louras departs for Lower Slobhovia. Boy! does this kid get around?

Ernie Olson drives off in his car. Is it a custom?

Bruce Charnley and Snooky Cobb leave their haircuts for better bristles for brushy brooms and bristly brushes.

Sheila "Sulli" Sullivan flies off to join a polo team.

Doreen Ballantine leaves as quietly as she came.

George Tarbell gives his cymbals to Whit Butterfield.

Nancy Bordeau departs for the "Miss America" Contest.

Mary Rousseau leaves her artistic ability to the Art Department.

Maureen O'Grady bequeaths her quietness to the Library.

Caroline Severance leaves for church.

Joyce Preedom leaves almost as soon as she came.

So knowing our *nickels* from our *dimes*, and having *counted* our *assets* and *invested* them soundly, we hereby affix our signatures to this last will and testament of The Class of 1954.

BOB MULHOLLAND,  
TONY ADAMS,  
Class Lawyers

Witnesses:

SADIE HAWKINS,  
"THE CLUB."



## Class Prophecy

JUDY CLARK

Let us look twenty-five years  
Into the future,  
Said the prophet, Mo.  
But Mo was blind  
And had to guess.  
Mo's guesswork is recorded here—

ROBERT ELLISON

Miss Joan Fox, realtor genius, has wed eminent psychiatrist, Dr. Edward Bartlett of Johns Hopkins. Dr. Bartlett recently cured Normal Norma Ackley. She is now neurotic. Dr. Bartlett's philosophy—N. N.: Nobody's Normal.

The Fine Arts Organization, consisting of Evelyn Izenberg, Shirley Rice, and Sibyl Chase, is being sued for nonpayment of its milk bill by Ruth Johnson. Miss Johnson, who heads the National Milk Dealers Association, says, "Poetry's fine, but business is business." This inspired that shrewd capitalist poet, Marshall Galaher, to write a satirical sonnet in defense of the artist group, entitled, "Some Utterances." Not stopping here, he has done a most moving sculpture of a calcium-deficient artist.

Carol Barter, heiress to Barter's Music Store, has formed a musical partnership with her competitor, Tom Eddy, who recently bought out Wilson's Music Store. As Tom says, "If you can't lick 'em, marry 'em!"

Three-time stock car Sweepstakes loser, Clarence Rider, and his company of substitute drivers, Merrill Briggs, Earl O'Brien, and Bob Miller, were clocked at 180 mph each, while en route to Montreal, Canada. State Trooper Michael Fiske said, "I'm not prepared to give the total speed, but I want you to know it adds up fast!"

Nathan Adams, dynamic new director of the machine shop at R.H.S., has recently asked for 1,000,000 dollars to expand his department. Says Adams, "I've already had it done; all you have to do is pay for it."

John Woods, late of Chittenden, was buried quietly in his back yard yesterday. He had been a woodsman of note. He was killed while demonstrating a revolutionary rotary-type axe to Silent Dick Landon, his prospective financial hacker.

General Edward Cole recently made a tour of inspection at Norwich University. Dorothy Paul of the *Daily News*, who amply covered the tour, quotes the general as saying, "I never had a girl in my locker!"

The *Washington Post* recently gave an exclusive account of Senator John Patten's record-breaking filibuster. His subjects of oration included Hamlet's "To Be or Not to Be" soliloquy. Secret Service men are guarding the Senator closely in case the Puerto Ricans should take him literally.

Sandra Norcross and Janet Judkins, famed members of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, are reportedly suing their arranger, Gary Wells. It seems that their interpretation of his profession did not coincide.

The present Mrs. Joseph McCarthy, the former Jacqueline Dawson of Rutland and Miss Box Social of 1954, was recently named Washington's "Hostess with the Mostest." Her guests have included Mr. Froman Mehl of Hollywood, Joyce Boutwell, who has replaced Betty Crocker, the Honorable Myra Hopper, Secretary of the Exterior, Pentagon Traffic Chief, Bruce Charnley, and new Secretary of the Treasury, Carol Rowell.

Connie LaVecchia, Betty Jackson, Hazel Guyette, Andy Scott, Jo Taft, Julie Beane, Vic Tomlingson, Gerry Young, Billy Waite, and Stanley Bassett are visiting all those places Mr. Purdy used to tell us about—the African jungles, Siberian salt mines, South America, the "Old Howard"—They want to see if he was telling the truth.

Mary Lou Reedy was banned from the Broadway stage this past season. Apparently one line in her latest play, "The Last of the Long, Long, Line of Stuarts" got the best of her. Mary Lou just couldn't help saying "pitcher," instead of picture.

Gail Lear is still giggling. Won't somebody help that girl? Christine Bianchi, under recommendation of a former chemistry teacher, has had her sneeze patented. Christine's press agent, Bud Trinci, claims that the sneeze is guaranteed to wake the dead. Dan Kennedy, it seems, took this yearbook theme too seriously. Since he couldn't patent his dollar bill with his portrait on it, he tried putting it before the public for approval, but the color ran. Dan's only comment when apprehended by F. I. B. Chief, Robert Donahue, was, "I wasn't prepared for that."

Hollywood is busy filming "The Five Sharps Story." The whole world mourns the loss of the famous instrumentalists, who disappeared while on a skiing trip in the Swiss Alps. Their tremendous popularity back in the fifties should draw a large public. The recording of the Sharps' theme, "Changing Partners," has become a collector's item.

Barton Bellamy has recently left for California where his sunny disposition is bound to thrive. He was accompanied by his usual entourage of female admirers.

Phyllis Soulia is the new and very efficient secretary to the principal at our old Alma Mater, replacing Miss Perry.

Alison Davis is new director of the Barstow Memorial High School in Chittenden, Vermont.

Fred Danforth has developed a minute radio unit that barbarians can conceal in their beards. Fred says, "They are perfectly useless, but then, so are beards."

All of Rutland will attend the approaching marriage of prominent basketball star, Ronnie Horton. It is reported that the young marrieds-to-be have had their linen monogrammed with "SHEHE" rather than the usual "His" and "Hers."



Stuart "Biceps" St. Peter, physical culture enthusiast, is still dribbling around.

Phillip Knapp is in his 23rd week of a lecture tour entitled, "You Too Can Be Ambidextrous." *New York Times* critic, George McMaster writes, "He's still good with either hand."

Charles Hudson, leading industrial arts designer, has come up with a bottomless chair. People may now sit in the Grand Canyon.

Jo Anne Franzoni is carrying on family tradition by competing with Bert Hyland in the race for Rutland County sheriff.

Carol Jean Burney left for her free trip to Florida. She won the General Mills Lemon Pie Contest.

Shirley Baker and her hoop team, officially called the Mississippi Basket Belles, made up of Betty Shackett, Yvonne Magee, Sally Greene, and Jean Petty, brought permanent destruction to the champion-prone New York Celtics. They married them.

Howard Cobb, Dan Allen, and Robin Ellison have set up the first News Company on the moon. They received their training under Norman E. Bartlett, Manager of the Rutland News Company.

The rumor that Bert Muzzy has published a new Vermont history series is true. Reporter Ken White writes in the *Herald* that Bert is trying to make Vermont one of the thirteen original colonies. Commercial artist Karl Drescher, the best in his field, is reportedly creating the jacket design.

Gwyneth Griffith has succeeded in publishing her first volume of poems written in the French language, and dedicated to Miss Bailey. They were reviewed in the *New York Times* by Miss Joy White, who summed up her critique this way: "Ces sont si bon."

Richard Tower, world traveler, was present when the Leaning Tower of Pisa fell.

Now that this prophecy  
Has come to a close,  
Let's see the epitaph written for Mose:  
"Here lies Blind Guesswork  
In tranquil repose."

## Class Elections

	WINNERS	
	BOY	GIRL
Done Most for R.H.S.	EDWARD BARTLETT	GEORGIA LOURAS
Done Most for the Class	EDWARD BARTLETT	GEORGIA LOURAS
Most Likely to Succeed	EDWARD BARTLETT	JUDITH CLARK
Most Popular	PHIL KNAPP	MARY LOU REEDY
Best Looking	DANNY KENNEDY	SANDRA PAUL
Best Dancer	ANTHONY ADAMS	MARY LOU REEDY
Best Dressed	EDWARD BARTLETT	MARY LOU REEDY
Most Gentlemanly	KENNETH WHITE	
Most Ladylike		JOY WHITE
Best Personality	{ ROBERT ELLISON TOM EDDY	PATRICIA KEEFE
Most Sophisticated	DAN ALLEN	MYRA HOPPER
Wittiest	ROBERT ELLISON	JACQUELINE DAWSON
Best Athlete	PHIL KNAPP	SHIRLEY BAKER
Noisiest	HOWARD COBB	JACQUELINE DAWSON
Quietest	BERT MUZZY	ALISON DAVIS
Optimist	TOM EDDY	CHRISTINE BIANCHI
Pessimist	KARL DRESCHER	JOANNA TAFT
Loyal Rooter	{ BRUCE CHARNLEY MILTON SANDERSON	MYRA HOPPER
Most Original	HOWARD COBB	CAROL BARTER
Class Brain	ROBERT MULHOLLAND	JUDITH CLARK
Class Grind	BERT MUZZY	SHIRLEY RICE
Class Taxi Driver	HOWARD COBB	ALISON DAVIS
Most Promising Couple	BRADLEY SANBORN	KATHLEEN HURLEY



# RUNNERS-UP

## BOY

## GIRL

Done Most for R.H.S.	ROBERT ELLISON	JUDITH CLARK
Done Most for Class	ROBERT ELLISON	JUDITH CLARK
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Best Looking	ROBERT MULHOLLAND	MARY LOU REEDY
Best Dancer	HOWARD COBB	PATRICIA KEEFE
Best Dressed	DANNY KENNEDY	{ JOAN FOX BETTY SHACKETT
Most Gentlemanly	ANTHONY ADAMS	
Most Ladylike		GEORGIA LOURAS
Best Personality	{ RONALD HORTON DAVID PETRAGLIA	GEORGIA LOURAS
Most Sophisticated	ROBERT ELLISON	MARY LOU REEDY
Wittiest	TOM EDDY	BEVERLY HORTON
Best Athlete	{ RONALD HORTON STUART ST. PETER	BETTY SHACKETT
Noisiest	TOM EDDY	JOANNA TAFT
Quietest	ROBERT DONAHUE	JOY WHITE
Optimist	{ DAN ALLEN BILL HARTIGAN	JACQUELINE DAWSON
Pessimist	FROMAN MEHL	{ SHIRLEY RICE CAROLYN ROWELL
Loyal Rooter	HOWARD COBB	{ CAROL BURNEY SANDRA PAUL
Most Original	ROBERT ELLISON	PAMELA BABCOCK
Class Brain	BERT MUZZY	EVELYN IZENBERG
Class Grind	{ ROBERT ELLISON HOWARD COBB	JUDITH CLARK
Class Taxi Driver	ANTHONY ADAMS	SANDRA NORCROSS
Most Promising Couple	PHIL KNAPP	SANDRA PAUL

# Class Song

SHIRLEY RICE  
ANDREW SCOTT

PAMELA BABCOCK  
CHRISTINE BIANCHI

"Land of hope and glory"—  
We, the universal "classes of '54"  
Are leaving four years of living.  
We were Freshmen, with beginnings.  
First assemblies, first classes,  
Teachers, rehearsals, games, cheers, dances.  
Uncertainties and ecstasies.  
Then Sophomores, singing confident songs.  
Belonging in gangs, best friends,  
Budding stars, going steady.  
As Juniors, upperclass understanding.  
Real homework, physics, second year French.  
Festivals, tournaments, trips, "April in Paris."  
In 1954 the farthest step.  
There were scholarships, essays,  
Southern Vermont Leagues,  
And "Our Town."  
We were Monitors, first chairs,  
All-State teamsters, Honor Society members,  
Soloists and lettermen.  
All last things. Last snapshots,  
Last concerts, last games,  
Hikes, pajama parties, jam sessions.

Elections, class nights, yearbooks.  
These things made us Seniors.  
"Our strong band shall ne'er be broken."  
Maybe, but Maine is a long way from California.  
"Formed in Rutland High."  
Freshmen, sophomores, juniors, seniors.  
Never again can we sing those songs,  
Cheer the cheers, laugh at jokes,  
Dance and run and march,  
Ride on busses, sit at desks,  
Do experiments, conjugate verbs,  
Get grease on our hands, take gym showers,  
Watch leaves fall, throw snowballs,  
Pick dandelions or take exams.  
We are these things, Rutland High School,  
We cannot stop or go back.  
But we can meet what is coming  
With courage and wisdom  
Because of what you mean.  
"Shall be found unwav'ring true,  
When we from life shall part?"

## CLASS MOTTO

*Nemo magnus sine afflatu divina umquam fuit.*  
*No man was ever great without divine inspiration.*

CLASS COLORS—Blue - Silver

CLASS FLOWER—Forget-me-not

## Commencement Committees

Baccalaureate  
NORMA ACKLEY  
SHIRLEY BAKER  
DOREEN BALLANTINE  
EDWARD BARTLETT  
AUDREY BROWN  
BARBARA CONSIDINE  
DEANNA FLANDERS  
RUTH JOHNSON  
BERT MUZZY  
MAUREEN O'GRADY  
JOANNA TAFT  
GARY WELLS

AUDREY BROWN  
JACQUELINE DAWSON  
JO ANN FRANZONI  
HAZEL GUYETTE  
CHERYL HEMENWAY  
SANDRA NORCROSS  
SHIRLEY RICE  
CAROLYN ROWELL

Ivy Planting  
NORMA ACKLEY  
SHIRLEY BAKER  
EDWARD BARTLETT  
AUDREY BROWN  
BERT MUZZY

Class Gift  
PATRICIA KEEFE  
STUART ST. PETER  
RICHARD TOWER

Class Night  
ANTHONY ADAMS  
DAN ALLEN  
PAMELA BABCOCK  
JUDITH CLARK  
DEANNA FLANDERS  
WILLIAM HARTIGAN  
MYRA HOPPER  
BEVERLY HORTON  
PHILIP KNAPP  
SANDRA PAUL  
JEAN PETTY  
BETTY SHACKETT

Senior Reception  
CAROL BARTER  
EDWARD BARTLETT  
JULIE BEANE  
HOWARD COBB  
KARL DRESCHER  
THOMAS EDDY  
MARSHALL GALAHER  
HAZEL GUYETTE  
JOHN HALL  
CONCETTA LAVECCHIA  
ROBERT MILLER  
SANDRA NORCROSS  
CAROLYN SEVERANCE  
BARBARA SHEEHY  
MARY THOMAS

Commencement  
NORMA ACKLEY  
DOREEN BALLANTINE





Remember  
When?

OUR  
HAPPY  
SCHOOL  
DAZE

# UNDER GRADS

RUTLAND HIGH SCHOOL, RUTLAND, VERMONT				RUTLAND HIGH SCHOOL, RUTLAND, VERMONT			
REGISTRATION OFFICE RECORD		REGISTRATION OFFICE RECORD		REGISTRATION OFFICE RECORD		REGISTRATION OFFICE RECORD	
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Date of Birth		Date of Birth		Date of Birth		Date of Birth	
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Study		Study		Study		Study	
Physical Education		Physical Education		Physical Education		Physical Education	
Curriculum (Next Year)		Curriculum (Next Year)		Curriculum (Next Year)		Curriculum (Next Year)	
English		English		English		English	
Intention after graduation		Intention after graduation		Intention after graduation		Intention after graduation	
If college, plan of entrance?		If college, plan of entrance?		If college, plan of entrance?		If college, plan of entrance?	
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## Class of 1955

### CLASS OFFICERS

President	NORMAN SWANSON
Vice-President	RICHARD THOMAS
Secretary-Treasurer	ROBERT SPAULDING

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 Beauchamp, Lorraine  
 Billings, Preston  
 Bordeau, Mary  
 Boulanger, Claire  
 Bowers, Florence  
 Bradish, Arthur  
 Branchaud, George  
 Bresnahan, Roger  
 Brooks, Persis  
 Brown, Alan  
 Brown, Carol  
 Brown, George  
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 Burke, Betsy  
 Burke, Claire  
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 Carrara, Paul  
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 Day, Lynn  
 Devenow, Adlore  
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 Douglass, Martha  
 Dunn, Mary Ellen  
 Edmunds, Stetson  
 Erickson, Sonja  
 Ezzo, Nicholas  
 Farnham, Maurice  
 Fee, Beverly  
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 Fournier, Charlotte  
 Fucci, William  
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 Spencer, R. Brownson  
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 Svenson, Marilyn  
 Tappan, Herbert  
 Tarbell, William  
 Thomas, Richard  
 Traynor, Carl  
 Utley, Bruce  
 Waite, William  
 Wales, Lydia  
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 Webster, Nancy  
 Weinle, Donald  
 Westcot, Caroline  
 White, Judith  
 Wilson, Judith  
 Wiltshire, Patricia  
 Wood, Janice  
 Wood, Patricia

## Class History

NORMAN SWANSON, PRESIDENT

Soon after entering Rutland High School as green Freshmen, we were cordially invited to attend a reception in our honor. Upon meeting George Hansen and his company in the streets of Bagdad, many of us became even greener.

Norman Swanson was president; Richard Thomas, vice-president; and Joan Looker, secretary-treasurer, our first year. Our basketball team had a successful season with a record of eight wins and two losses. In homeroom competition Room 213 won. Our class was well-represented on the J.V. basketball, football, baseball and track teams while we were freshmen.

As sophomores, the officers were Norman Swanson, president; Ronald Edwards, vice-president; and Robert Spaulding, secretary-treasurer. Our boys made an impressive showing on the J.V. football team which that year had five wins and only one loss. Some of our class did some excellent playing on the varsity squad. In basketball season, the J.V.'s had Thomas, Ballard, Foltz and Billings to boast of. Thomas and Swanson were lettermen in baseball. The track and ski teams did well with many of our class as members.

As for our girls, Lynn Day and Judy White represented us as majorettes. Joan Looker, Mary Bordeau, Carol Kallio, Nancy Johnson, Betsy Burke, Persis Brooks, and Claire Burke were on the cheerleading squads.

The Sophomore Hop, "Spring Has Sprung," with Lynn Day as chairman was really very successful.

As juniors we had Norman Swanson for president, Richard Thomas for vice-president, and Robert Spaulding, secretary-treasurer. Now, we had many lettermen in football—Jim Abatiell, Jim Ballard, Pete Billings, Whit Butterfield, Paul Carrara, Dick Foltz, Jesse Ginsburg, Norm Swanson, Dick Thomas, and Paul Donahue. Next year's team can draw from many experienced players. Brownson Spencer will be manager of a champion team, we expect.

Marv Bordeau, Joan Looker, Carol Kallio, and Nancy Johnson became varsity cheerleaders. Claire Burke and Virginia Cahee became majorettes.

Once again the Class of '55 was well-represented on the baseball, basketball, track and ski teams. The class can boast of an outstanding skier, Mary Hinsman. The newly-elected ski captain for the 1954-55 season will be Roger Bresnahan.

The Red and White was staffed with many members from our class. Pat Dodge and Joan Petraglia were assistant editors. Next year, Joan, Pat, and Martha Douglass will assume the responsible positions on the staff; Joan will be editor-in-chief this coming year.





## Class of 1956

### CLASS OFFICERS

President	LEWIS ADAMS
Vice-President	MARY LOU HINCHEY
Secretary-Treasurer	DWAINE CHEVALIER

### CLASS ADVISERS

MR. LEWIS CROSSMAN	MISS HELEN BAILEY	MR. JAMES CANARY
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ROOM 117  
 President—Llewelyn Adams  
 Ackley, Carlene  
 Adamsen, Eugene  
 Anagnos, Stratton  
 Armstrong, Nancy  
 Arndt, Sandra  
 Austin, Joan  
 Babcock, Charrie  
 Backon, Belle  
 Baker, Dorothy  
 Beach, Carl  
 Bell, Marie  
 Bellerose, Andrea  
 Blodgett, Carol  
 Boretos, James  
 Bowen, Richard  
 Bowker, Arthur  
 Boynton, Arlene  
 Bradley, William  
 Bushee, Josephine  
 Burton, Henry  
 Carrara, Donald  
 Chevalier, Dwaine  
 Coburn, Richard  
 Cocklin, Joseph  
 Cole, Joan  
 Colton, Joan  
 Clemons, John  
 Crowell, Gus  
 Dailey, Richard  
 Davis, Norman C.  
 Davis, Norman J.  
 Davis, Richard  
 Delorm, Stanley  
 Duncan, Elizabeth

ROOM 115  
 President—John Hansen  
 Dyer, Mary  
 Earle, Sally  
 English, Robert  
 Flanders, Virginia  
 Frost, Mildred  
 Gamsby, Carol  
 Gilman, Patricia  
 Goldman, Peter  
 Gould, Robert  
 Goodrich, Wilma  
 Gravelle, Earl  
 Green, Brenda  
 Guyette, Carl  
 Hall, Gail  
 Hallock, Wesley  
 Hector, Kathryn  
 Hemenway, Helen  
 Hendee, Shirley  
 Hinchey, Mary Lou  
 Holmquist, Allen  
 Howland, Isabelle  
 Humphrey, Joan  
 Hurley, James  
 Ianni, Alan  
 Jeffo, Diane  
 Johnston, James  
 Jones, Robert  
 Kaeller, Robert  
 Keefe, Norma  
 Keefe, Thomas  
 Kehoe, Betty Lou  
 Kent, Harry  
 LaCoe, Barbara  
 LaCoe, Janice  
 LaFond, John  
 LaSante, Bruce  
 LaVecchia, Mary  
 Leonard, Richard

ROOM 114  
 President—John MacDonald  
 Littler, Richard  
 Littler, Shirley  
 Logan, Marlene  
 Looker, Jean  
 Loveland, James  
 Lubinsky, Peter  
 Mahoney, Bernard  
 Marotti, Sandra  
 Matt, Yvonne  
 McKenzie, Philip  
 Meszaros, Lynn  
 Miles, Edith  
 Minard, Judith  
 Mitchell, Sally  
 Monroe, Shirley  
 Moore, Robert  
 Mullens, Robert  
 Munsat, Stanley  
 Murphy, Julia  
 Muzzy, Robert  
 Nelson, Robert  
 Orcutt, Bernard  
 Paquette, Barbara  
 Patch, Elwin  
 Pelkey, Joan  
 Perkins, Jacqueline  
 Perkins, Sally  
 Petty, Nancy  
 Pierce, Donna  
 Pinkowski, Ann  
 Pond, Lyndsay  
 Pratt, Hubert  
 Quinn, Thomas

ROOM 113  
 President—Alden VanBuskirk  
 Reed, Robert  
 Regan, Charles  
 Rodgers, Neville  
 Russell, Dorothy  
 Russell, Mary E.  
 Ryan, Madelyn  
 Sanderson, Carroll  
 Sargent, Ruth  
 Scruton, Effie  
 Smith, Henry  
 Smith, Matilda  
 Soulia, Arlene  
 Spafford, Perley  
 Stanley, Barbara  
 Steele, Noreen  
 Taggart, Richard  
 Taggart, Roberta  
 Taylor, Tom  
 Thompson, Richard  
 Trepanier, James  
 Trieff, Henry  
 Turner, Carol  
 Tuttle, Elizabeth  
 Waite, Harriet  
 Waite, John  
 Waite, Wallace  
 Walker, Edward  
 Walker, Robert  
 Welch, Richard  
 Wheeler, Bernard  
 White, Meredith  
 Whyte, Carol  
 Wilder, Richard  
 Williams, Jean  
 Williams, Joan  
 Willis, Lyle  
 Wilson, Gail  
 Wisell, Kenneth  
 Young, Sam

## Class History

Rutland High School opened its doors on September 3, 1952, and a great army of 178 boys and girls, to be known thereafter as the Class of 1956, poured into the building.

After an ordeal of four weeks' duration, we freshmen faced the official Kremlin under Joe Stalin (Herbert Russell) and comrades in the school auditorium. Finally, after two hours of torture there, the totalitarians gave up and invited us newcomers to dance in the gymnasium.

Soon after Freshman Reception the homerooms elected Henry Smith, Alden VanBuskirk, Richard Dailey, and John MacDonald, homeroom presidents.

When the A.A. drive ended we had purchased ninety-nine tickets. Our nearest competitors, the sophomores, had bought eighty-five.

On November 10 we held our first class election. The eighty-one percent who voted chose all their class representatives from one home room, Room 216. They were John Hansen, president; Norma Keefe, vice-president; and Mary Lou Hinchey, secretary-treasurer.

Our cheerleaders were Mary Lou Hinchey, Virginia Flanders, Andrea Bellerose, Madelyn Ryan, Sandra Marotti, and Norma Keefe. Lyndsay Pond was chosen a majorette.

The hasketeers from Room 13 were homeroom basketball champs. Hubie Pratt and Dick Welch were on the junior varsity basketball team when we were freshmen.

When the doors of our school opened on September 14, 1953, the sophomores were 147 strong. As the year got under way we sophomores were in everything—football, basketball, band, Red and White, and the various clubs.

Election time rolled around, and Lewis Adams, John Hansen, Alden VanBuskirk, and John MacDonald were chosen home room presidents.

On the second of November of our sophomore year, Lewis Adams was elected our class president. Mary Lou Hinchey and Dwaine Chevalier took office as vice-president and secretary-treasurer, respectively.

Newly-elected majorettes were Carol Gamsby and Sally Mitchell. This year's junior varsity cheerleaders were Andrea Bellerose, Madelyn Ryan, Mary Lou Hinchey, Virginia Flanders, Norma Keefe, Sandra Marotti, and Donna Pierce.

Our J.V. basketball players were Hubie Pratt, John Hansen, Ken Wisell, Dick Welch, "Ginger" Kent, and Bruce LaSante. Hubie Pratt, Dick Welch, and Hank Smith made the varsity squad.

LEWIS ADAMS, President





## Class of 1957

### CLASS OFFICERS

President	CHARLES LULL
Vice-President	DEBORAH BUTTERFIELD
Secretary-Treasurer	ANGELA HINCHEY

### CLASS ADVISERS

MR. LEWIS F. MCKERLEY	MISS PRISCILLA DIETTE	MR. CHRISTIE DRAGO
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ROOM 214	ROOM 215	ROOM 216	ROOM 217	ROOM 13
President—Anthony Abatiell	President—James Foltz	President—Leo Kupferer	President—Charles Lull	President—Joseph Vargas
Ackley, William	Cook, Deanna	Hammond, Martha	Loyzelle, Thomas	Seward, Anna
Adams, Orin	Cota, Elissa	Harrington, Sarah	Lubinsky, John	Senecal, Clayton
Adamsen, John	Covell, Joseph	Hawley, Arlyn	Lyon, Joanne	Sheeche, Michael
Anderson, Sandra	Cox, Theresa	Hawley, Lorraine	Mack, Florence	Sherman, Arnold
Arndt, Judith	Crossman, Lyle	Hendee, Allen	Mangan, Margaret	Smith, Grace
Athey, Dale	Davidson, Lora	Hinchey, Angela	Martel, John	Smith, Lorna
Baird, Charles	Davis, Herman	Horton, Harry	Martin, Joan	Smith, Susan
Barrett, Rosemary	DeCell, Elroy	Houghton, Nancy	Matt, Gary	Stevens, Albert
Bartenstein, Michael	DeCell, Lloyd	Hostler, Sharon	Maynes, John	Stevens, Earle
Bartlett, Joanna	Delorm, Patricia	Howard, Henry	McGinnis, Carol	Swanson, Robert
Belden, Esther	Derby, Brenda	Hubbard, Brenda	McKirryher, Leland	Taft, Allen
Booth, Joan	Drake, Jane	Hunter, Patricia	McManus, Richard	Taggart, Judith
Bowen, Loretta	Duclo, Lorraine	Hyland, John	Messer, Carl	Temple, Sally
Bowers, Nancy	Duprey, Muriel	Johnson, Junia	Miller, Benjamin	Todriff, Anna
Boynton, Wanda	Earle, Ira	Keefe, Marilyn	Miller, Martha	Todriff, Charles
Bradish, Francis	Eddy, Stephen	King, Wayne	Mitchell, John	Todriff, Harrison
Bradley, George	Edmunds, Sally	Knight, Robert	Monroe, Donna	Tucker, Mark
Bride, Patricia	Elkey, Sylvia	Knox, Arthur	Mulholland, Charles	Turner, John
Briggs, Judith	English, Earle	Krauss, Sharon	Munnukko, Richard	VanGuilder, Frances
Brown, John	Ezzo, Sam	Lancour, Richard	Padolecchia, Claire	Ward, Linda
Brown, Nancy	Fairbanks, Carolyn	Lamb, Glenda	Pallutto, Agnes	Wardwell, Mary
Burke, Irene	Farnham, Joanne	Laakonsen, David	Parker, David	Webster, Milan
Burke, James	Fawcette, Mary	Linker, Robert	Patten, Grace	Weeks, Thomas
Burney, Clayton	Fish, Gladys		Pearsons, Judith	White, Cecil
Butterfield, Deborah	Franzoni, Peter		Pelkey, Jean	Wilder, Lois
Carrara, Donato	Goodell, Joyce		Pelkey, William	Wilson, Donna
Carrara, Robert	Goodell, Theodore		Perry, Lawrence	Wilson, Valerie
Carroll, James	Goodspeed, Priscilla		Pfenning, Thomas	Wood, Joanne
Chase, Malcolm	Gould, George		Pinkowski, Philip	
Chase, Peter	Gould, Joyce		Potter, Noel	
Chesley, John	Grady, Robert		Prespare, Mary	
Clark, Theresa	Grazini, Alan		Quirk, John	
Claypoole, Patricia	Guyette, Raymond		Ranney, Thomas	
	Hadley, Paul		Ravit, Elizabeth	
			Reed, Ronald	
			Reedy, Betty	
			Rollins, Gail	
			Rounds, Terence	
			Ruane, Robert	
			Sanborn, Jerry	

## Class History

We, the Class of 1957, entered Rutland High School on September 9, 1953 and in due time were entertained by the seniors at the Freshman Reception. At this, our first social event, our class members were introduced to the senior officers, Edward Bartlett and Stuart St. Peter, and we presented two short, humorous skits; Robert Ellison, a senior, was our assistant.

As the year progressed we elected our homeroom officers and chose Anthony Abatiell, James Foltz, Leo Kupferer, Charles Lull, and Joseph Vargas. A little later in the year we voted for class officers and selected Charles Lull, president; Angela Hinchey, vice-president; and Deborah Butterfield, secretary-treasurer.

The football team gave the freshman boys an opportunity to participate in high school athletics. Charles Lull, Wayne King, Francis Bradish, and Leo Kupferer made the team. "Chuck" Lull and Wayne King were awarded football letters.

Sandra Anderson, Irene Burke, Deborah Butterfield, Nancy Leonard, and Donna Monroe were chosen J.V. cheerleaders. Joanne Wood was the only freshman girl chosen to be a majorette.

The drill team, a new organization, attracted many freshman girls. Judith Arndt, Patricia Bride, Patricia Claypoole, Lora Davidson, Brenda Derby, Sylvia Elkey, Priscilla Goodspeed, Sarah Harrington, and Valerie Wilson performed in their maroon and white uniforms at the basketball games.

In homeroom basketball competition, Room 214 became Freshman Champions. Anthony Abatiell, John Anderson, Dale Athey, James Burke, Francis Bradish, Peter Chase, Malcolm Chase, and James Carroll played.

The boys were successful at the junior varsity tryouts. John Anderson, James Burke, James Foltz, Peter Franzoni, Wayne King, and Charles Lull made the team.

Junior Mimes, the freshman dramatic group, presented "Portrait of Nelson Holiday, Jr." with the following cast: Betty Jean Reedy, Joanna Bartlett, Dale Athey, Loretta Bowen, Mary Prespare, Sally Edmunds, John Maynes, Mark Tucker, Charles Lull, and Arnold Sherman, in February.

Concerts, assemblies, spring sports, and final examinations—and we came to the end of our freshman year; now we await the coming year when, as sophomores, we shall be upperclassmen.

CHARLES LULL, President



# HONORS



ALISON

## *The Master Blend*

The National Honor Society is one of the most important organizations in the school. Election to this society is one of the highest honors afforded in the four years of high school. The purposes of the society have been defined as follows:

- TO CREATE ENTHUSIASM FOR SCHOLARSHIP
- TO STIMULATE A DESIRE TO RENDER SERVICE
- TO PROMOTE LEADERSHIP
- TO DEVELOP CHARACTER

This Society looks upon education as a total product measured by the four dimensions of life. To exalt the four cardinal objectives: Scholarship, Character, Leadership, and Service and to hold them ever before the school as goals toward which all should strive, is the aim of the Society.

The activities carried on by the members under the direction of Mr. George Sloan, faculty adviser, were the selling of candy at the basketball games and the annual induction ceremony and banquet for the inductees on April seventh.

The members who had been inducted in their junior year were the officers this year. Evelyn Izenberg was president, Shirley Rice was vice-president, Judith Clark served as secretary, and Julie Bean as treasurer. Georgia Louras was banquet chairman.

The newly-elected members were: Nathan Adams, Edward Bartlett, Sibyl Chase, Charles Hudson, Patricia Keefe, Shirley Merrill, Robert Mulholland, and Joanna Taft, all of the senior class. The juniors inducted were the following: Patricia Dodge, Martha Douglass, Mary Hinsman, Joan Looker, Peter Sloan, and Norman Swanson.



Seated: Sibyl Chase, Patricia Keefe, Mary Hinsman, Shirley Merrill, Charles Hudson, Joanna Taft, Patricia Dodge, Joan Looker, Martha Douglass.  
Standing: Nathan Adams, Norman Swanson, Georgia Louras, Shirley Rice, Julie Beane, Judith Clark, Evelyn Izenberg, Peter Sloan, Robert Mulholland. Absent from picture: Edward Bartlett.



## Take A Left -- No, A Right

The task of moving 550 students efficiently and safely through the corridors in the three-minute interval between class periods was a responsibility delegated to the twelve boys and sixteen girls who comprised the 1953-54 Monitor Squad. The squad had its origin in the late 1920's and its members were chosen then, as they now are, for their qualities of leadership, responsibility, character and reliability.

Regular meetings were held on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. Miss Katherine Moran, faculty adviser, was assisted by Miss Helen Bailey and Mr. George Sloan. At the meetings, traffic problems were discussed and plans for various activities were made. Bruce Charnley was Head Monitor and Phyllis Soulia, secretary-treasurer.

In the autumn, the Monitor Squad sponsored its annual dance; the theme this year was "Hunters' Heaven." Many times in the course of the year, fudge sales were held to raise money for the treasury. On February 3rd, the squad presented a movie, "Way Out West." This was attended by the student body and faculty. On April 23rd, a "disk jockey" dance was held. The various activities of the year were climaxed with a banquet, also an annual affair.

At the last assembly, newly-chosen monitors from the Class of 1955 assumed the duties of the graduating members.



Front row: Georgia Louras, Christine Bianchi.  
Row two: Joanna Taft, Evelyn Izenberg, Judith Clark, Patricia Keefe.  
Row three: Phyllis Soulia, Shirley Merrill, Sandra Paul, Concetta LaVecchia, Shirley Rice.  
Row four: Cheryl Hemenway, Myra Hopper, Bert Muzzy, Bert Hyland, Pamela Babcock, Joy White.  
Row five: Miss Katherine Moran, Faculty Adviser; Robert Ellison, William Hartigan, David Petraglia, Robert Mulholland, Howard Cobb, Kenneth White, Fred Danforth, John Patten.

## Future Leaders

GIRLS' NATION DELEGATE



JUDITH CLARK

In 1953 thirteen juniors from Rutland High School attended Boys' and Girls' States. Our representatives at Green Mountain Girls' State were Judith Clark, Sandra Paul, Joanna Taft, Patricia Keefe, and Shirley Rice. During the week the entire contingent entered into the various activities and were informed about politics. Judith Clark was selected, one of the two delegates from Vermont, to attend Girls' Nation in Washington, D.C. There, two delegates from each of the forty-eight states met and carried on a model national government.

Eight boys from R H S were our school's representatives at the American Legion's Green Mountain Boys' State. The boys were Anthony Adams, Nathan Adams, Edward Cole, William Hartigan, Charles Hudson, Bert Muzzy, John Patten, and David Petraglia. The delegates were selected on the basis of character, leadership, cooperation, and scholastic ability. Boys' State was held at Norwich University where the boys carried on a model state government. The boys from Rutland were active in sports, band, and newspaper. While none of the boys were chosen to go to Boys' Nation, all did a good job of representing R H S at Boys' State this past summer.



Front row: Patricia Keefe, Sandra Paul, Judith Clark, Joanna Taft, Shirley Rice, Nathan Adams.  
Row two: Bert Muzzy, John Patten, David Petraglia.  
Row three: Charles Hudson, Anthony Adams, William Hartigan, Edward Cole.



## Mr. President - - -

The Student Council plays an important role at Rutland High School. It serves as the unit of student government in the school, giving each student a voice in the government of his school through his home room president.

The Council has had a successful and active year. As usual, it has fostered cleanliness throughout the building by its homeroom inspection program. It also strove to uphold the standard of good citizenship in the student body by awarding the title of "Student of the Week" to deserving students.

Its first major undertaking was sponsorship, in conjunction with M.S.J., of the State Student Council Association's annual convention on November 20 and 21. Stuart St. Peter and Evelyn Izenberg are vice-president and treasurer, respectively, of the state organization; they were elected at the previous convention in White River Junction. At the convention a report was given of their trip to the National Conference in Portland, Oregon in June, 1953.

An amendment to the Constitution of the Student Council was adopted this year. This amendment changed the method of nominating student council and class officers in an effort to insure good student government by capable leaders.

As part of its money-raising campaign the council initiated a plan for selling of candy after school. This project proved not only profitable but also rendered a service to the student body. The council again this year sponsored the Curtis Publishing Company Magazine Drive.



Front row: Evelyn Izenberg, Joan Looker, Norman Swanson, Stuart St. Peter.  
Row two: Leo Kupferer, John Hanson, John MacDonald, James Abatiell.  
Row three: Robert Ellison, Anthony Adams, Alden VanBuskirk, Ronald Edwards.  
Row four: Mr. Howard Douglas, Faculty Adviser; James Foltz, Charles Lull.  
Absent from the picture: Edward Bartlett, President.

## Deadline

EDITOR-IN-CHIEF



JOANNA TAFT

The Red and White kept the student body of Rutland High School well-informed all year; twenty issues containing current school news and activities were published. Especially noteworthy was the six-page Christmas issue, featuring Christmas stories written in senior English classes. The Hallowe'en, Thanksgiving, and April Fool's issues were in color, too. As a climax to the year's activities, the staff and members of the business board held their annual banquet at the Wheeler Williams.

The school newspaper was published this year with Miss Madeline Buttles as faculty adviser again; she resumed sponsorship of it following her year's leave of absence for further study.

Seniors who are leaving the staff this year are Joanna Taft, Editor; Evelyn Izenberg, Associate Editor; Pamela Babcock, News Editor; Julie Beane, Feature Editor; Judith Clark, Sports Editor; Deanna Flanders, Art Editor; Georgia Louras, Business Manager; and Shirley Seager, Circulation Manager. Christine Bianchi, Sibyl Chase, Dorothy Paul, Carol Barter, Robert Ellison, Anthony Adams, John Patten, Sandra Norcross, Shirley Merrill, Jean Pinkowski, Betty Shackett, Joy White, Sheila Sullivan, and Froman Mehl are also retiring from staff membership.



Seated: Sheila Sullivan, Pamela Babcock, Deanna Flanders, Evelyn Izenberg, Joanna Taft, Editor-in-Chief; Patricia Dodge, Joan Petraglia, Judith Clark, Shirley Seager, Betty Shackett.  
Front row standing: Martha Douglass, Marie Bell, Mary Lou Hinchey, Kathryn Hector, Norma Keefe, Carol Whyte, Neville Rodgers, Beverly Fee, Patricia Jones, Charlotte Fournier, Carol Brown, Gayle Gibson, Margaret Mitchell, Dorothy Paul, Miss Madeline Buttles, Faculty Adviser.  
Row two: Richard Coburn, Stanley Munsat, John McDonald, Shirley Merrill, Jean Pinkowski, Gail Marsh, Sibyl Chase, Peter Sloan, John Patten, Anthony Adams.



### *"With a Toot and a Whistle and Plunk and a Boom"*

Spectators marvel as the Rutland High School Band comes marching down the athletic field during their half-time performance at the football games. This year the band played at all the home football games and made a trip to Bellows Falls for one game.

On September 27 the band was invited to entertain at the Anniversary Air Show at the Rutland Airport.

Several concerts were presented by the band, the first one on December 5, a Solo and Ensemble Concert. On March 10, a short program was given for the Community Club. On March 27 a combined concert with the band from Kennebunk, Maine was presented. On April 24 a concert was presented by the band and chorus.

Numerous trips were enjoyed by the band this year, the first being a trip March 23 to Keene, New Hampshire, for a combined concert with the Keene band. The second trip was to Kennebunk, Maine on April 10 for a combined band concert there.

Two members of the band, Robert Mulholland and Shirley Seager, were selected to play in the All-New England Band. The All-New England Music Festival was held at Hyannis, Massachusetts on April 1, 2, and 3.



Front row: Belle Backon, Cheryl Hemenway, Joanna Taft, Judith Clark, Pamela Babcock.  
Row two: Sandra Norcross, Shirley Seager, Shirley Rice, Janet Judkins, Beverly Horton, Evelyn Izenberg, Judith White, Carol Barter, Robert Mulholland.  
Row three: Joy White, Jacqueline Perkins, Brownson Spencer, Joan Petraglia, Deborah Butterfield, Charrie Babcock, Wilma Goodrich, Joyce Chesley, Audrey Brown, Joanna Bartlett, Robert Linker.  
Row four: Meredith White, Glenda Lamb, Barbara Stanley, Arlene Boynton, Wanda Boynton, Christine Bianchi, Marie Bell, Lois Wilder, Sibyl Chase, Patricia Milne, Richard Coburn, Robert Swanson, David Petraglia, Anthony Adams.  
Row five: Anthony Abatiell, John Chesley, Charles Mulholland, John Anderson, Alan Ianni.  
Row six: Mr. George Low, Director; Whitney Butterfield, Richard Taft, Gary Wells, William Tarbell, George Tarbell, Samuel Young, Richard Mills, Sally Edmunds.

The members chosen to play in the All-State Band were Belle Backon, Joy White, Shirley Rice, Robert Mulholland, Beverly Horton, Sibyl Chase, Christine Bianchi, Marie Bell, David Petraglia, Anthony Adams, Richard Mills, and Gary Wells. The Vermont All-State Music Festival was held on May 6, 7, and 8 in Burlington.

The band attended the Southern Vermont Festival on May 15 in Brattleboro. A trip to the University of New Hampshire for the New England Audition Music Festival was enjoyed on May 22. The annual trip to Crown Point and Ticonderoga, New York was also made.

### *Majorettes*

Leading the band in parades and on the football field were seven snappy majorettes led by Mary Lou Reedy, a capable Drum Major, and by Myra Hopper, Head Twirler. Other members of the squad included Judith White, Lynn Day, Virginia Cahee, Lyndsay Pond, and Claire Burke. Next year, the replacements will be Carol Gamsby, Sally Mitchell, and Joanne Wood. On several of its major trips the band was accompanied by the majorettes.

The majorettes sponsored a dance on February 13; the proceeds of this dance went toward new uniforms. One outstanding event in the year's activities was the cheerleaders' and majorettes' assembly held in September.



Lyndsay Pond, Lynn Day, Virginia Cahee, Mary Lou Reedy, Judith White, Myra Hopper, Claire Burke



## Orchestra

The Orchestra under the directorship of Mr. George H. Low participated in many school activities in the course of the year.

In April the group played for the National Honor Society induction ceremony. On April 1, 2, and 3, certain members of the orchestra represented Rutland High School in the All-New England Orchestra held in Barnstable, Cape Cod. The pupils selected were Sandra Norcross, Pamela Babcock, Janet Judkins, Joyce Chesley, Julie Beane, William Tarbell, and David Petraglia.

The next official appearance of the orchestra was in May at the All-State Festival. Those who went to Burlington were Wilma Goodrich, Deborah Butterfield, Carol Barter, David Petraglia, William Tarbell, Shirley Seager, Sandra Norcross, Pamela Babcock, Judith Clark, Janet Judkins, Joyce Chesley, Julie Beane, Sandra Anderson, and Betsy Ravit.

The orchestra played for Baccalaureate and Commencement exercises and brought to a close the year's activities.



Front row: Joyce Chesley, Charrie Babcock, Janet Judkins, Shirley Seager, Sandra Marotti, Joanna Taft, Judith Clark, Pamela Babcock, Sandra Anderson, Betsy Ravit, Carol Barter, Robert Mulholland.  
Row two: Mr. George Low, Director; Mark Tucker, Joan Petraglia, Deborah Butterfield, Wilma Goodrich, Marie Bell, Gary Wells, Lois Wilder, Sibyl Chase, William Tarbell, Anthony Adams, David Petraglia, Sally Edmunds, Julie Beane.

## Chorus

The Chorus under the direction of Mr. George H. Low participated in many activities, in local, state, and New England affairs.

In December, the full chorus gave its annual Christmas Concert in an assembly. After Christmas the Special Chorus was selected from the members of the full chorus.

At the annual Spring Concert, held this year on April twenty-fourth, the chorus combined with the band again, and presented an excellent program that was enthusiastically received. On the first three days in April the school was represented in the All-New England Music Festival at Barnstable, Massachusetts, by Pamela Babcock, Joanna Taft, and Joy White, Sopranos; and Judith Clark and Sibyl Chase, Altos.

The next appearance of the chorus was at the All-State Music Festival held in Burlington on May 6, 7, and 8. Those who sang at the festival were Meredith White, Alto; Patricia Milne and Marilyn Svenson, Sopranos; Norman Swanson, Bass; and John Clemons, Tenor.

On May 22, the chorus went to the University of New Hampshire for the All-New England Music Audition Festival.



Accompanist: Judith Briggs.  
Front row: Joy White, Shirley Rice, Joanna Taft, Patricia Milne, Mark Tucker, Thomas Quinn, Richard Taft, John Clemons, Sibyl Chase, Jacqueline Perkins, Carol Whyte, Charrie Babcock, Mr. George H. Low, Director.  
Row two: Joyce Chesley, Marilyn Svendsen, Pamela Babcock, Carol Barter, Herbert Tappan, Richard Mills, Charles Mulholland, Robert Swanson, Betsy Ravit, Sandra Anderson, Donna Monroe, Meredith White.  
Row three: Judith White, Marie Bell, Charlotte Fournier, Richard Coburn, Norman Swanson, John Hansen, Joan Looker, Andrea Bellerose, Jean Looker, Sandra Norcross.  
Row four: Carol Kallio, Joan Petraglia, Deborah Butterfield, Deanna Cook, Jesse Ginsburg, Anthony Adams, Paul Donahue, Janet Judkins, Julie Beane, Kathryn Hector.



## Inquiring Minds

The Library Council plans the projects to be carried out during the year, and takes care of the arrangements for an assembly for Book Week in November. Through various means the Council interests the students in reading, in the library, and in using the library. Ruth Johnson was the chairman of the Council; Peggy Mangan, the business manager; Carol Barter, the assistant business manager.

One of the main projects for this year was Book Week. Various types of books were loaned by the R. H. Hunting Company for the Book Week display in the school library. Students were urged to examine the books and then to vote for the books of their choice from the larger collection. Approximately twenty-eight books of the number displayed were purchased. Money from a fudge sale, and from the fines imposed, was used.

An assembly to introduce Book Week and to acquaint the student body with its purposes was sponsored by the Council. The guest speaker at this assembly was Professor Leon Dean of the University of Vermont. Professor Dean is the author of many historical books; one of these, *The White Ox*, was purchased for the library. The theme of Book Week, "The libraries of America are the home of the free and inquiring minds," a quotation from one of President Eisenhower's letters, was illustrated in the Book Week assembly by members of the Council who talked about the books in the library. Ruth Johnson was chairman of the assembly, and Georgia Louras discussed the library display and explained the system to be used in selecting books to be purchased.



Seated: Shirley Seager, Georgia Louras, Glenda Lamb, Joan Booth, Shirley Littler, Sylvia Elkey.  
Standing: Peggy Mangan, Ruth Johnson, President, Irene Burditt, John Maynes, Brenda Derby.  
Not present for picture: Earl Stevens, Richard Hughes, Robert Ellison, Julie Beane, Carol Barter.

# ACTIVITIES



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MISS ALLEN - MISS SETYONEGORO

## Our Goal-- A Friendlier World

Many active members in the club this year made it possible for I.R.C. to accomplish much under the following officers: Judy Clark, president; Georgia Louras, vice-president; Julie Beane, corresponding secretary; Christine Bianchi and Connie LaVecchia, co-recording secretaries; Lewis Adams, treasurer; Caroline Rowell, assistant treasurer; Pamela Babcock, roll-caller; Patricia Dodge, program chairman.

Social events of the year included a fall picnic at the Louras home, a reception for Miss Kusumaningtyas Setyonegoro, a guest of R.H.S. from Indonesia, and a Christmas party. Four members discussed the U.N. at an A.A.U.W. meeting, and others presented programs at the Community Club and Rutland Women's Club. Georgia Louras gave over twenty talks about her Experiment in International Living in Soest, Germany last summer.

Members attended an A.F.S.C. seminar in Montpelier, the U.N. Model Assembly at Plymouth, N. H. They debated with the "Thinking Tinklers." Their programs at meetings included talks by Miss Madeline Buttles, Miss Marjorie Burditt, Mr. Monteith Bilkert, Mr. Wayne Oelrich, Georgia Louras, and Herbert Tappan; as well as moving pictures on Africa, Sweden, India, and book reports on world problems. Two issues of I.R.C. News-Notes were published.

I.R.C.-ers were responsible for the R.H.S. entries in the 28th Annual High School Contest on the U.N., for the U.N. and Pan-American Day assemblies and displays, a Pen-Pal Exhibit (also letters); and they sent a Teen-age Scrapbook to Ceylon. The I.R.C. book shelf in the library has attracted a number of readers.

On February 22, the club received an honor certificate from the Freedoms Foundation in connection with material submitted covering I.R.C. activities during the previous year.

The group earned money through dues, the sale of R.H.S. pencils and book-covers, college book-covers, a talent show, "Safari," and the magazine drive.

Gifts were sent to Miss "Tyas", John Olf, Vermont Crippled Children, Korea, the Negro College Fund, Crusade for Freedom, S.C.F. (clothing as well as money), Japan International Christian University, St. John's Guild, Middle East Relief, Red Cross, Near East Relief, the Jimmy Fund, and the Commuters. A book about Africa was given to R.H.S. library. One hundred dollars was set aside for scholarships to Shawnee and for the I.R.C. Student Exchange Fund.

Front row: Patricia Dodge, Concetta LaVecchia, Carolyn Rowell, Llewelyn Adams, Judith Clark, Pamela Babcock, Georgia Louras, Christine Bianchi.  
Row two: Harriet Waite, Barbara Stanley, Martha Hammond, Sharon Hostler, Arlene Soulia, Elaine Knapp, Carolyn Louras, Brenda Hubbard.  
Row three: Joyce Boutwell, Carol Barter, Deanna Flanders, Mary Frances LaVecchia, Betty Shackett, Jacqueline Perkins, Mary Ellen Russell, Donna Pierce, Lyndsay Pond, Martha Douglass.  
Row four: Shirley Seager, Sonja Erickson, Beverly Fee, Marilyn Svenson, Joy White, Glenda Lamb, Rona Cox, Joyce Goodell, Betsy Ravit, Neville Rodgers, Miss Carolyn Allen, Faculty Adviser.  
Row five: Brenda Lou Derby, Sally Temple, Theresa LaVecchia, Judith Briggs, Jean Looker, Shirley Monroe, Joanna Bartlett, Gladys Fish, Betsy Tuttle, Matilda Smith, Marie Bell, Lorna Smith.  
Row six: Malcolm Chase, Herbert Tappan, Fred Danforth, Richard Coburn, Richard Tower, John Maynes, John Hinsman, Richard Taft.



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## What's For Lunch?

The Commuters' Club with a membership of one hundred and one completed a year full of activity under the leadership of the co-presidents, Edward Cole and Ruth Johnson. The vice-president was Beverly Fee and the secretary-treasurer, Neville Rodgers.

The club financed the redecoration of the lunchroom. This project is one that the club can be proud of for years to come.

Candy was sold daily; free candy was distributed to the club members several times during the year under the direction of Arthur Bradish, Joan Cole, and Effie Scruton.

Edward Cole did an exceptionally fine job as manager of noon hour ping-pong games, singing, and movies. This year's ping-pong champion was Stuart St. Peter.

The faculty advisers were Mr. Henry Doll and Miss Priscilla Diette.



Front row: Joan Cole, Dorothy Baker, Effie Scruton, Betsy Tuttle, Sandra Norcross, Neville Rodgers, Beverly Fee, Ruth Johnson, Edward Cole, Patricia Dodge, Marie Bell, Joan Austin, Barbara Stanley, Martha Douglass.  
Row two: Belle Backon, Mary LaVecchia, Barbara Sheehee, Sandra Paul, Mary Thomas, Maureen O'Grady, Carolyn Rowell, Carol Barter, Arlene Boynton, Carole Gamsby, Mary Lou Reedy, Charrie Babcock, Judith White.  
Row three: Shirley Monroe, Meredith White, Andrea Bellerose, Joanna Taft, Donna Pierce, Madelyn Ryan, Carol Burney, Joyce Boutwell, Cheryl Hemenway, Wilma Goodrich, Helen Hemenway, Anna Toddriff, Frances Van Guilder.  
Row four: Mr. Henry Doll, Faculty Adviser, Carol Brown, Julie Beane, Pamela Babcock, Judith Clark, Shirley Rice, Concetta LaVecchia, Carol Turner, Janet Clifford, Rona Cox, Sonja Erickson, Noreen Steele, Joan Williams.  
Row five: John Clemons, Norman Swanson, Richard Munukko, Froman Mehl, Fred Danforth, Richard Russell, Ronald Reed, Philip Pinkowski, Barton Bellamy, Arthur Bradish, Robert Knight, Carl Sanderson, Richard Hughes.  
Row six: Seward Hawley, Thomas Loyzelle, Harrison Toddriff, Clayton Senecal, Richard Coburn, Anthony Adams, Stuart St. Peter, Howard Cobb, David Petraglia, Robert Mulholland, Milton Sanderson, William Hartigan, Miss Priscilla Diette, Faculty Adviser.



## Thinking Tinklers

This year a new club at Rutland High School was organized under the direction of Mr. Christie Drago. The group was formed "to act as an instrument for implanting and nurturing better human relations, better science understanding, and better school harmony and spirit." Neville Rodgers headed the club. Other officers were Philip McKenzie, Carol Whyte, and Shirley Littler.

As its first major undertaking, and to introduce itself to the student body, the club sponsored the "White Christmas Ball," a very successful affair. To raise money the club sponsored food sales; fish aquaria for the tropical fish which the club studies were purchased with the proceeds. A photography group of the Science Club made slides of plant life to be used in the science courses. The "Thinking Tinklers" also kept a bulletin board of interesting facts pertaining to science.



Front row: Brenda Hubbard, Sandra Marotti, Nancy Houghton, Lorna Smith, Philip McKenzie, Arlene Boynton, Brenda Derby, Noel Potter, Matilda Smith, Patricia Bride, Herbert Tappan.  
Row two: Betsy Tuttle, Wanda Boynton, Jacqueline Perkins, Lyndsay Pond, Carol Whyte, Belle Backon, Kathryn Hector, Shirley Monroe, Shirley Littler, Mary LaVecchia.

## Oh! A Chartreuse Abstract!

The Art Club was organized to provide an opportunity for those who were not enrolled in art classes to do some art work. Regular meetings were held on Mondays after school. At one of the first meetings of the year the club elected Karl Drescher as president, Ellanora Burke as vice-president, Deanna Flanders as secretary, and Sheila Sullivan as treasurer.

After the business meeting, the members were free to work on projects of their own or on some club activity. The club members voted to make posters for other clubs' activities when given enough advance notice. Table decorations for Christmas, Lincoln's Birthday, and Easter were made for the Pittsford Sanatorium and the Caverly Preventorium. Linoleum blocks were carved for the Red and White and "for fun." The members completed many water color, charcoal and pencil sketches, stenciling, and oil paintings.



Front row: Brenda Derby, Susan Smith, Sheila Sullivan.  
Row two: Sharon Hostler, Angela Hinchey, Miss Lucy Doane, Faculty Adviser; Deanna Flanders, Mary Ellen Dunn.



## What A Line!

The members of Junior Mimes had fun and enjoyed the study of stagecraft, including stage direction and stage techniques, this year.

Under the direction of Mrs. Elizabeth B. Greene, Junior Mimes presented "Portrait of Nelson Holiday, Jr." by Robert Nail for a student assembly on February 26th. In the cast were Sally Edmunds, Joanna Bartlett, Dale Athey, Loretta Bowen, Mary Prespare, John Maynes, Mark Tucker, Charles Lull, and Arnold Sherman.

Meetings were held on the first and third Wednesdays of each month. Sally Edmunds was elected president, and Betty Jean Reedy, treasurer.



President: Sally Edmunds.  
Seated: Sylvia Elkey, Wanda Boynton, Claire Padolecchia, Betty Jean Reedy, Joanna Bartlett, Martha Hammond.  
Standing: John Maynes, Betsy Ravit, Peggy Mangan, Mary Prespare, Sharon Hostler, Dale Athey.  
Absent from the picture: Loretta Bowen.

## Give Me The Cue

The Mimes Club, a dramatic organization, was reorganized this year and was under the direction of Mrs. Morrill.

During the course of the year supper meetings were held in addition to the regular meetings. At the supper meetings the members had an opportunity to hear guest speakers and to learn more about the theater.

On February 4, 1954, in the evening, a box social was held in the lunch room. Jacqueline Dawson was chairman of the affair.

The club presented "Albuquerque, Ten Minutes" on April thirtieth to the students and faculty in an assembly. The money realized from this production was used to send students to the Speech Festival held at the University of Vermont in Burlington.

The officers for the year were: President, David Petraglia; Vice-President, Pamela Babcock; Secretary, Dorothy Paul; Treasurer, William Hartigan. The officers and Mrs. Morrill served as an executive committee.



Front row: Joan Petraglia, Arlene Boynton, Carol Kallio, Patricia Milne, William Hartigan, Pamela Babcock, David Petraglia, Gail Marsh, Judith Clark, Joanna Taft, Nancy Johnson.  
Row two: Patricia Dodge, Mary Bordeau, Frances Sobotka, Mary Lou Reedy, Sally Greene, Sheila Sullivan, Janet Judkins, Carol Brown, Concetta LaVecchia, Deanna Flanders, Maureen O'Grady, Jacqueline Dawson, Joan Fox.  
Row three: Robert Miller, Herbert Tappan, Gus Crowell, Richard Mills, Robert Mulholland, William Tarnell, Anthony Adams, Bruce Charnley, Robert Whitcomb.



## Follow The Leader

The Girls' Athletic Association, organized for the girls interested in sports, held their regular meetings on the first Monday of the month. The faculty adviser, Mrs. Josephine Gray, attended all the meetings and assisted the girls with their plans and activities. The 1953-54 officers were Betty Shackett, president; Shirley Baker, vice-president; Lynn Day, secretary; and Claire Burke, treasurer.

Betty Shackett and Shirley Baker were delegates to the Sports Workshop at the University of Vermont on January 29th and 30th. At a special assembly the members received awards and letters for hockey and other intra-mural sports. In the spring a Sports Day was held and a number of neighboring schools participated. The treasury of the club was boosted by frequent fudge sales. The membership of the club this year was the largest in its history.



Front row: Judith Murphy, Barbara LaCoe, Shirley Hendee, Judith Minard, Yvonne Matt, Shirley Baker, Betty Shackett, Claire Burke, Lynn Day, Joan Fox, Jacqueline Dawson, Betsy Burke, Nancy Johnson, Arlene Boynton.  
 Row two: Marie Bell, Jean Looker, Madelyn Ryan, Mary Lou Hinchey, Matilda Smith, Joan Austin, Mary Hinsman, Sally Edmunds, Sally Greene, Mary Thomas, Barbara Sheeche, Maureen O'Grady, Mrs. Josephine Gray, Faculty Adviser.  
 Row three: Patricia Claypoole, Patricia Milne, Mary Lou Patterson, Jean LaFond, Margaret Mitchell, Gayle Gibson, Mary Ellen Russell, Andrea Bellerose, Donna Pierce, Sandra Anderson, Deborah Butterfield, Irene Burke, Joanna Bartlett, Valerie Wilson.  
 Row four: Carol Kallio, Gail Marsh, Joanne Lyon, Dorothy Paul, Sheila Sullivan, Patricia Wood, Lynfsay Pond, Betsy Ravit, Deanna Cook, Mary Prespare, Donna Monroe, Lois Wilder, Sarah Mitchell, Carol Gamsby.  
 Row five: Joan Looker, Betty Reedy, Mary Bordeau, Shirley Monroe, Deanna Flanders, Beverly Horton, Frances Sobotka, Nancy Armstrong, Katherine Lawhon, Jean Pelkey, Teresa Fox, Isabelle Howland.

# SPORTS

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Mary Bordeau, Sandra Paul, Nancy Johnson, Joanna Taft, Joan Looker, Patricia Keefe, Carol Kallio.

## Fight - Team - Fight

"Come on Red Raiders; fight, team, fight!" screamed the enthusiastic cheerleaders. The athletic teams owe much to these girls who have so energetically led the cheering at all the high school games.

Patricia Keefe and Sandra Paul were co-captains and Joanna Taft, Joan Looker, Mary Bordeau, Nancy Johnson, and Carol Kallio were the squad members. By selling programs at the football games and by holding a record dance, the girls made enough money to buy new basketball uniforms, maroon wool jumper slacks trimmed with angora lettering and worn with white cotton blouses.

Cheering the Junior Varsity Basketball team to victory were two squads of younger cheerleaders. These groups cheered at all the home games and attended the Springfield and West Rutland games. One squad cheered for the first half and the second for the latter half of games. Members of the first squad were Andrea Bellerose, captain; Donna Pierce, Donna Monroe, Sandra Anderson, Sandra Marotti, and Mary Lou Hinchey. The second group under the captaincy of Norma Keefe were Madelyn Ryan, Virginia Flanders, Irene Burke, Deborah Butterfield, and Nancy Leonard.

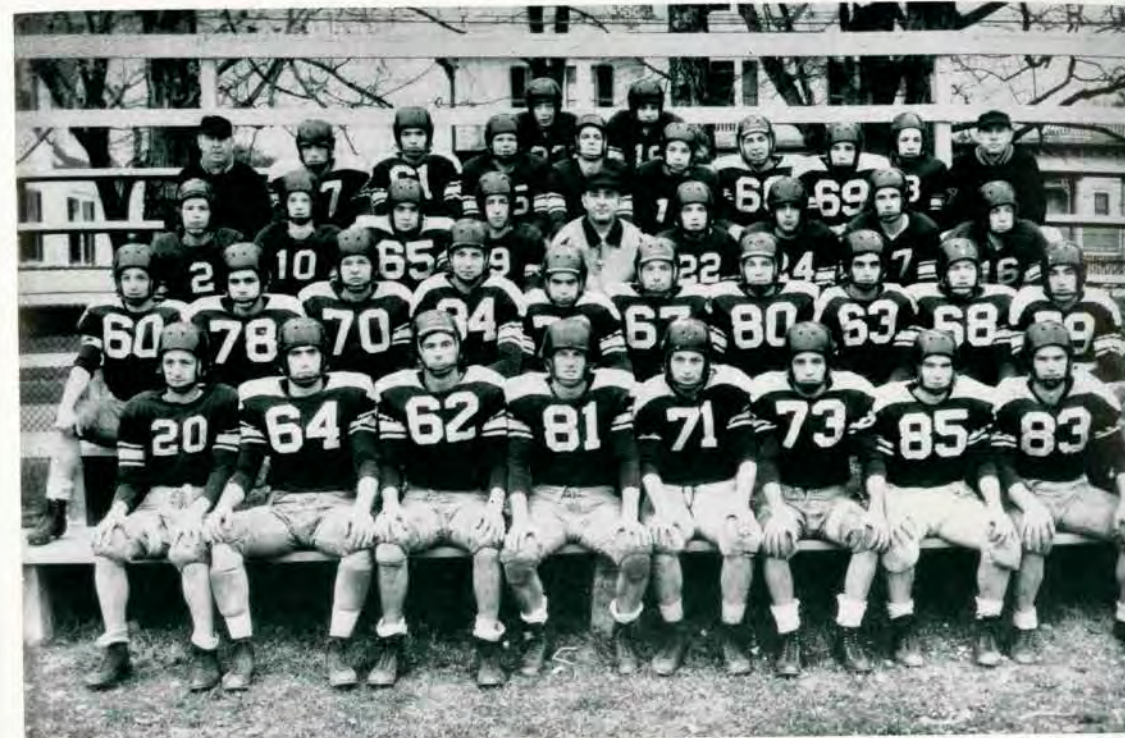
Next year the co-captains will be Carol Kallio and Joan Looker. Andrea Bellerose, Norma Keefe and Virginia Flanders will join the varsity squad.

Irene Burke, Virginia Flanders, Deborah Butterfield, Sandra Anderson, Norma Keefe, Andrea Bellerose, Madelyn Ryan, Donna Pierce, Donna Monroe, Sandra Marotti.



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## Hit 'Em Low



Front row: Milton Sanderson, Philip Knapp, Albert Trinci, Stuart St. Peter, Tom Eddy, Dan Allen, Marshall Galaher, Jesse Ginsburg.  
Row two: Whitney Butterfield, James Abatiell, Norman Swanson, Richard Foltz, Pete Billings, James Ballard, Brownson Spencer, Paul Carrara, Harry Kent, Bruce LaSante.  
Row three: Robert Swanson, John Hansen, Stratton Anagnos, Charles Regan, Mr. Lloyd Flaitz, Coach; Alan Ianni, Henry Trieff, Robert Moore, Arthur Bowker.  
Row four: Mr. Leo Keefe, Assistant Coach; Paul Donahue, John Stearns, Richard Littler, Francis Bradish, Leo Kupferer, Charles Lull, Wayne King, Sam Ezzo, Mr. Albert Martin, J. V. Coach.  
Top row: James Foltz, Anthony Abatiell.

Starting the 1953 football campaign, the Red Raiders lacked depth and experienced manpower. This became more apparent as the season got underway and the coaching staff began to build for 1954, with many of the underclassmen seeing plenty of action on both offense and defense.



St. Peter - Horton - Billings - Thomas



The squad included seniors: Phil Knapp, who received a berth on the All-State second team at center; Tom Eddy, who turned in good work as a pass catcher; Stu St. Peter, the veteran quarterback; Ken White, a standout at the tackle post; John Patten and Marsh Galaher at guard; Dan Allen, Al Trinci, and Milt Sanderson at the wingposts.

Although the team was lacking in spirit and fight during some phases of the season, they canceled it all in one stroke with their final victory over MSJ on Armistice Day.

The Redmen opened their season at Bennington where the inexperienced Flaitzmen turned back a heavier Catamount team by a score of 34-12. It was strictly a team victory with every man fighting hard to win.

The following Saturday the gridmen received their first setback of the year at the hands of Spaulding High School of Barre. Although on the short end of a 19-7 score, the Redmen played good football in spots.

The second setback came when the Raiders were pitted against the Burlington Seahorses, the score being 26-7. The Raiders led 7-6 at half time, but costly mistakes turned the tide, making the game the second lost to Burlington in fourteen years.

The following week the Raiders journeyed to Bellows Falls, only to fall apart at the seams, losing 33-0.

The next game the Raiders played host to Brattleboro, the powerhouse of the state. Although they lost by a 32-6 margin, the team, composed of underclassmen, relentlessly fought against the strongest combination in the state. Not once did the Redmen lose their fighting spirit in a fine display of underdog determination by green underclassmen to uphold the traditions of spirited football teams at Rutland High.



OH! ARMISTICE DAY

The Raiders continued to come up as they defeated the Springfield Cosmos 26-19. As the underdog, they combined spirit and teamwork to tear apart a bigger and stronger but not better team.

As a finale to their season, the gridmen rode to the top of the wave of good football and smothered Mount Saint Joseph Academy 21-7, in the traditional Armistice Day classic. It was a well-fought battle, and the victory was a much deserved one.

Rutland did not have a perfect record, but the team learned just how important attitude is to the game of football.

Jim Ballard was a backfield standout during the season; he was one of the most consistent ground gainers. Ballard was elected co-captain of next year's eleven along with Paul Carrara who showed up well on the line throughout the season.

Although many seniors are lost through graduation, a good team for next year is assured by Co-Captains, Jim Ballard and Paul Carrara; Strattie Anagnos, Pete Billings, Whit Butterfield, Paul Donahue, Dick Foltz, Jesse Ginsburg, "Ginger" Kent, John Hansen, Al Ianni, Hubie Pratt, Art Bowker, Bob Smith, Fran Bradish, Wayne King, Bruce LaSante, "Chuck" Lull, Bob Moore, Jim Abatielle, Norm Swanson, Dick Thomas. With these boys as a nucleus, it is hoped that the R.H.S. grid warriors of 1954 will set the pace in scholastic football competition. In the past two decades, the Raiders have won the State Football Championship on the average of every three years. The last mythical title was in 1951. Will they do it in 1954?

#### THE SCHEDULE

Rutland	34	Bennington	12
Rutland	7	Spaulding	19
Rutland	7	Burlington	26
Rutland	0	Bellows Falls	33
Rutland	6	Brattleboro	32
Rutland	26	Springfield	19
Rutland	21	Mt. St. Joseph	7



# Shoot! Score!

The 1953-54 hoop squad turned in a very impressive record, winning the Southern Vermont League crown and becoming runner-up to Mt. St. Joseph's in the Southern Vermont Tournament.

Senior veterans, Phil Knapp, Stu St. Peter and Ron Horton; Junior, Jim Ballard; and Sophomores, Dick Welch and Hank Smith, were the big guns for the Raiders this year.

The Redmen finished first in the SVL with an impressive 12-2 record and had a season total of 18 wins and 8 defeats.

In the pre-league games, the Raiders had a 4-4 record, beating St. Albans, Montpelier, Spaulding, and Poly Prep of Staten Island, while losing to Burlington twice, Whitehall, and Curtis High of Staten Island; all by narrow margins.

After trouncing the Alumni, they passed through the first round of the SVL with eight straight wins turning back Springfield, Bellows Falls, West



Front row: Mr. Leo F. Keefe, Coach; Henry Smith, Stuart St. Peter, Ronald Horton, Philip Knapp, James Ballard, Richard Welch.  
Row two: Charles Lull, Harry Kent, Richard Thomas, Richard Foltz, Hubert Pratt, Preston Billings, Kenneth Wisell, John Hansen,

Rutland, Windsor, MSJ, Bennington and Brattleboro and Bellows Falls, a second time.

The first SVL defeat came in a 52-50 thriller at West Rutland. After turning back Windsor, they were again beaten, this time by MSJ. In the remaining games of the SVL, Bennington and Brattleboro were defeated easily, but Springfield fought into an overtime before going down 68-64 in one of the best games of the season.

At the end of the league play Rutland lost to Whitehall by a narrow margin.

Because of their fine 12-2 record, the Redmen were chosen to play in the Southern Vermont Tournament. In the opening game the Raiders were pitted against Bellows Falls. Although the Terriers threatened all the way, they were finally overcome 42-34, mainly on the strength of Phil Knapp's 28 points.

This win found the Redmen playing MSJ the following evening for the Championship. In a well-fought contest Rutland lost 63-49. Phil Knapp sparked the Raiders, scoring 27 points and playing outstanding defensive ball. Ron Horton and Hank Smith also turned in fine performances. Horton and Knapp were chosen to the All-Tournament team.

Knapp, playing the pivot post, was a defensive standout and led the team in scoring for the year with 394 points. He scored 55 in the Tournament and 204 in the SVL, placing sixth in individual scoring. St. Peter was fifth in the League standings with 215 and a season total of 340. St. Peter was chosen for the Southern Vermont All-Star Basketball team.



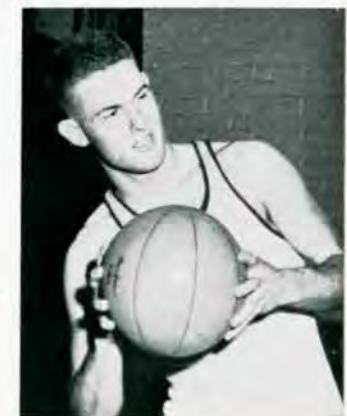
ST. PETER AND KNAPP

## 1954 - HONORS

Member--Southern Vermont  
All-Star Basketball Team  
STUART ST. PETER

Members--Southern Vermont  
Class A Team

RONALD HORTON  
PHILIP KNAPP



ST. PETER



A good team for next year is assured by Juniors, Jim Ballard, Dick Foltz, Dick Thomas, Pete Billings; and Sophomores, John Hansen, Hank Smith, and Dick Welch.

Seniors leaving the expert guidance of Coach Keefe are Phil Knapp, Stuart St. Peter and Ron Horton.

#### THE SCHEDULE

St. Albans	20	Rutland	67
Whitehall	54	Rutland	47
Burlington	59	Rutland	48
Spaulding	47	Rutland	50
Burlington	52	Rutland	35
Montpelier	36	Rutland	45
Curtis High	55	Rutland	44
Poly Prep	57	Rutland	60
Alumni	39	Rutland	54
Whitehall	49	Rutland	46

#### SOUTHERN VERMONT LEAGUE

Springfield	33	Rutland	36
Bellows Falls	42	Rutland	53
West Rutland	43	Rutland	59
Windsor	41	Rutland	56
Mt. St. Joseph	47	Rutland	48
Bennington	37	Rutland	46
Brattleboro	49	Rutland	55
Bellows Falls	43	Rutland	59
West Rutland	52	Rutland	50
Windsor	40	Rutland	67
Mt. St. Joseph	60	Rutland	50
Bennington	24	Rutland	47
Brattleboro	45	Rutland	55
Springfield	64	Rutland	68

#### SOUTHERN VERMONT TOURNAMENT

Bellows Falls	34	Rutland	42
Mt. St. Joseph	63	Rutland	49

## Swish!

The Rutland High School Jayvee Basketball team had an excellent year, while serving its primary purpose of providing material for the varsity in future years. The team posted a record of thirteen wins against seven losses. Those games included a 10-4 record in Southern Vermont league play and games with other teams, in the state and from out of the state.

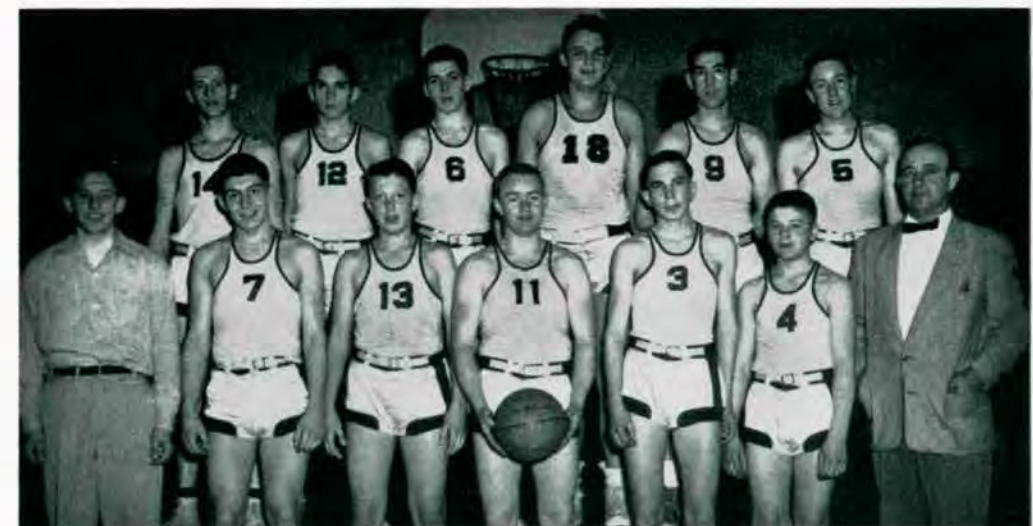
The team consisted of four sophomores and nine freshmen. One junior who played regularly with the varsity also played on the team.

Outstanding players included Dick Foltz, Ken Wisell, John Hansen, Harry Kent, Jim Burke, Art Bowker, Bruce LaSante, and Chuck Lull.

#### RUTLAND HIGH SCHOOL JAYVEE SCHEDULE

Bellows Free Academy	16	Rutland	37
Whitehall	34	Rutland	22
Burlington	47	Rutland	30
Spaulding	36	Rutland	37
Burlington	43	Rutland	32
West Rutland	33	Rutland	46
Springfield	34	Rutland	28
Bellows Falls	17	Rutland	35
West Rutland	21	Rutland	46
Windsor	28	Rutland	62
Mt. St. Joseph	39	Rutland	35
Bennington	29	Rutland	34
Brattleboro	30	Rutland	58
Bellows Falls	34	Rutland	49
West Rutland	37	Rutland	46
Windsor	29	Rutland	46
Mt. St. Joseph	40	Rutland	47
Bennington	34	Rutland	38
Brattleboro	49	Rutland	42
Springfield	37	Rutland	29

	W.	L.	Pct.
Record	13	7	650
Southern Vt. League	10	4	714



Front row: Dwaine Chevalier, Charles Lull, James Foltz, Harry Kent, Wayne King, Peter Franzoni, Mr. Lloyd Flaitz, Coach.  
Row two: Kenneth Wisell, James Burke, John Anderson, Hubert Pratt, Bruce LaSante, Arthur Bowker.



# One Room -- One Team



HOMEROOM BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS

SENIORS—ROOM 103

Front row: David Petraglia, Milton Sanderson, Richard Tower.

Row two: Stuart St. Peter, Andrew Scott, John Patten.



JUNIORS—ROOM 211

Front row: Russell Shedd, Richard Thomas, Peter Sloan.

Row two: Donn Scott, Brownson Spencer, Norman Spencer, Robert Spaulding.



SOPHOMORES—ROOM 113

Front row: Kenneth Wissell, Henry Smith, Richard Welch, Charles Regan, Henry Trieff.

Row two: Richard Reed, Carl Sanderson.



FRESHMEN - ROOM 214

George Bradley, Dale Athey, Malcolm Chase, Peter Chase, Michael Bartenstein, James Carroll, John Anderson, James Burke, Francis Bradish, Anthony Abatiell.

← FRESHMAN CLASS TEAM

Captain—MR. RIPPON

Front row: John Martell, Charles Lull, Wayne King, Allen Hendee.

Row two: Peter Franzoni, James Burke, John Anderson, Francis Bradish, James Carroll.

# Swash!

Skiing received an impetus this year at Rutland High School, for seventeen boys went out for the ski team. Ably coached by Mr. Peter Goshgarian, the team enjoyed its most successful season in several years. The plankmen were very fortunate to have had the nationally-known skiing ace, Joe Jones, helping them all winter.

The weather was unfavorable frequently, but the Raider skiers managed to participate in four meets. In the first of these, a cross-country and jumping triangular affair, the Redmen competing with Middlebury and Burlington came in third. Although two team members were absent, Bob Mulholland, Dick Thompson, and "Rip" McManus carried on.

The week after the opening meet, a downhill triangle was held at Pico; Middlebury, Mount St. Joseph, and Rutland participated. The Raiders avenged the previous week's defeat by burying the Tigers and Acads. Captain Dave Petraglia, Tony Adams, and Bob Mulholland carried the honors for the day.

The first Saturday in February found the Redmen at Northfield for the Southern Vermont District Meet. Through the efforts of Dave Petraglia and Tony Adams, they placed a close third behind Putney and Middlebury.

In the State Meet at Middlebury, the second weekend in February, the Rutlanders despite placing fifth of eight teams, skied exceptionally well. Dave Petraglia was high man, and two sophomores, Alden VanBuskirk and Dick Thompson, showed up very well.

The boys receiving letter awards were: David Petraglia, Tony Adams, Bob Mulholland, Howard Cobb, Roger Bresnahan, Alden VanBuskirk, and Dick Thompson. Others on the team were: Peter Chase, John Hinsman, Joe Vargas, Dale Athey, Arnold Sherman, John Clemons, Richard Taft, Bob Nelson, Marshall Galaher, and Richard McManus.

Roger Bresnahan has been chosen captain for next year. Bresnahan, the captain-elect, and VanBuskirk and Thompson should lead next year's team through a banner season. These veterans will be backed up by a promising group of younger skiers.

Front row: Mr. Peter Goshgarian, Coach; Richard Taft, Dale Athey, Joseph Vargas, John Clemons, Peter Chase.  
Row two: Arnold Sherman, Anthony Adams, Howard Cobb, Alden VanBuskirk, David Petraglia, Robert Mulholland, Roger Bresnahan, Richard McManus, John Hinsman, Richard Thompson, Robert Nelson.





# Thwack

Coach Albert Martin started the 1954 baseball season with fair prospects for a winning team. Only four lettermen were returning; several newcomers, many of them freshmen, joined with these and formed an inexperienced team.

Ron Horton, resuming mound duty, was assisted by Stuart St. Peter, Charles Armstrong, and Donn Scott. The backstop position was filled by Norman Swanson and Dick Davis.

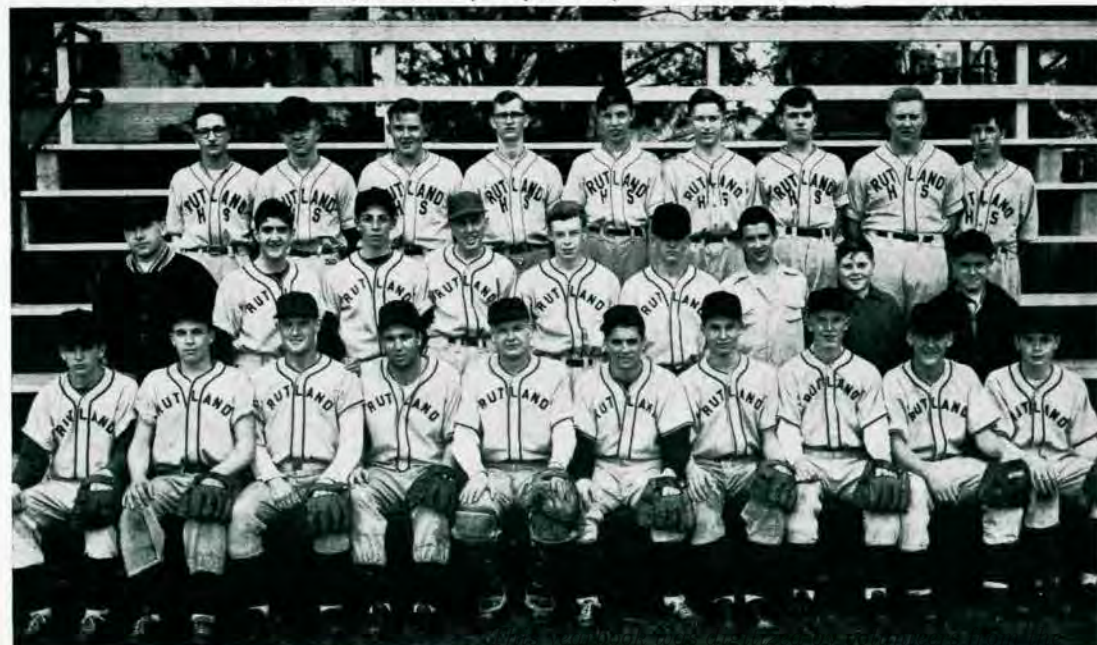
Hank Smith and Jim Loveland were first basemen, and John Maynes and Dick Welch assumed the keystone position. Danny Kennedy and Rudy Hendee rounded out the double play "combo" at short, while Jim Burke, a freshman, and Ken Wisell completed the infield on the "hot corner."

The garden was patrolled by St. Peter, Dick Thomas, Ronny Horton, Russ Shedd, and Bob Smith. Vying for outfield positions were Clayton Burney, Cecil White, and Dick Dailey.

The graduating members of the team are Horton, St. Peter, and Kennedy. The list of games scheduled follows:

April	24	Burlington	Home
	26	Pittsford	Home
	28	Poultney	There
	30	Brattleboro	Home
May	6	Springfield	There
	7	Fair Haven	Home
	10	Springfield	Home
	12	Bennington	Home
	14	Mt. St. Joseph	There
	18	Bennington	There
	21	Mt. St. Joseph	Home
	24	Ludlow	There
	26	Pittsford	There
	28	Glens Falls	There
	31	Mt. St. Joseph	There
June	2	Glens Falls	Home
	4	Brattleboro	There

Front row: James Burke, Richard Thomas, Stuart St. Peter, Ronald Horton, Norman Swanson, Danny Kennedy, James Loveland, Henry Smith, Richard Welch, John Maynes.  
Row two: Mr. Albert Martin, Coach; Stratton Anagnos, Russell Shedd, Charles Armstrong, Richard Davis, Karl Drescher, Michael Sheeche, Alan Grazini, Richard Hughes, Manager.  
Row three: Rudy Hendee, Donn Scott, Robert Smith, Kenneth Wisell, Clayton Senecal, Richard Dailey, Cecil White, Robert Grady, Clayton Burney.



# Go - Go - Go

The new track coach, Mr. Dean Rippon, was confronted with many problems. Only three lettermen were available, and so he had to build his team from entirely new material. To lead the mile runners he had Bert Muzzy, ably assisted by a freshman, Pete Chase. Veterans, Tony Adams, Brownson Spencer, William Hartigan, Bob Moore, and John Patten, led the middle distance runners.

Paul Carrara, Don Carrara, and Bill Hartigan held up the sprint department, while Ken White, Bill Hartigan, and Paul Carrara were the top hurdlers.

Adams, Bob Mulholland, Bob Linker, and Milt Sanderson took over the jumps. Whit Butterfield and Joe Cocklin were the pole vaulters.

White, Dick Tower, Jim Abatiell, and Dick Foltz dominated the weight events.

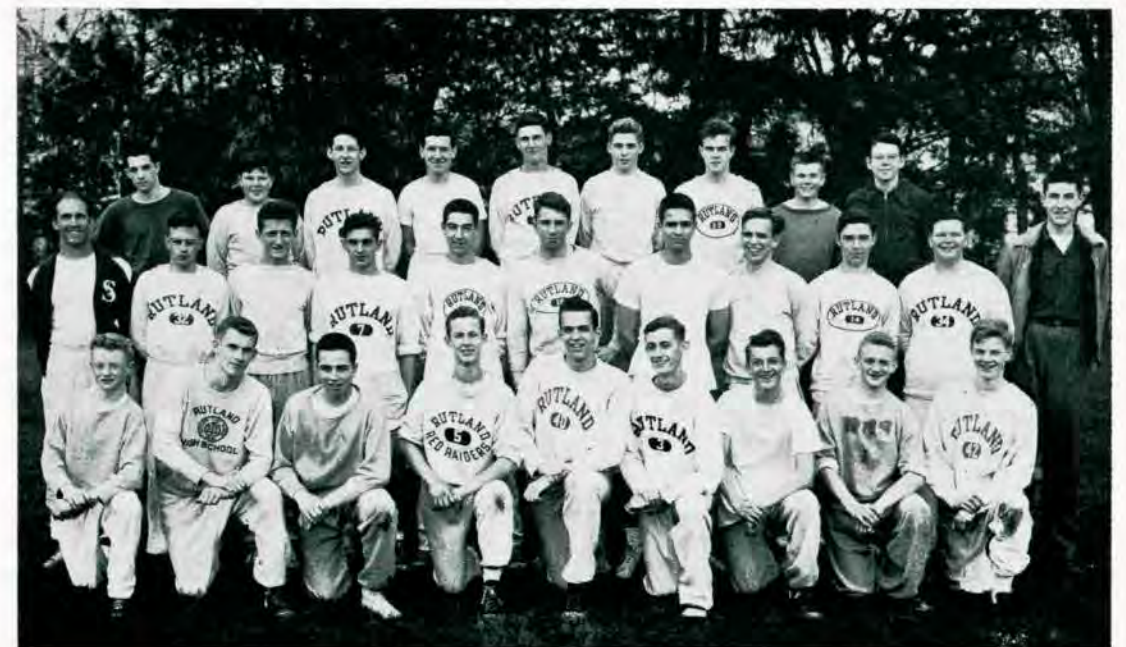
Top scorers who will be lost through graduation include Ken White, Bill Hartigan, Bob Mulholland, and Tony Adams.

This year the track team were fortunate to have the capable assistance of Dick Roe, a graduate, and of Roy Magee, a post-graduate student.

The schedule was as follows:

May	1	Keene	Here
	15	Lyndon Institute	There
	22	Springfield-Bellows Falls	Here
	29	Southern Vermont District Meet	
June	5	State Meet	

Front row: Malcolm Chase, Kenneth White, Anthony Abatiell, Michael Leonard, Robert Mulholland, Howard Loso, Barton Bellamy, Robert Linker, John Hansen.  
Row two: Mr. Dean Rippon, Coach; Bert Muzzy, Milton Sanderson, Paul Carrara, Bruce LaSante, Anthony Adams, James Abatiell, John Patten, Joseph Cocklin, Richard Littler, Stetson Edmunds, Manager.  
Row three: Whitney Butterfield, George Bradley, Roy Magee, John Clemons, Robert Moore, John Anderson, William Hartigan, Peter Chase, William Bradley.





# WHACK - Out Of Bounds

Girls' Hockey opened the girls' athletic program for the present year. A number of practice games were followed by the class competition. The sophomores copped the first victory with a 3-1 win over the freshmen. The seniors triumphed in their tilt with the juniors, also by a 3-1 score. In the championship game between the seniors and sophomores, the underclassmen took the class title by defeating their upperclass opponents with a 2-0 score.

To round out the season a varsity hockey team was chosen to play with the Green Mountain Junior College hockey team; the latter won this game, 5-0.



Front row: Joan Looker, Shirley Baker, Mary Bordeau, Joanne Lyons, Joan Fox, Sally Edmunds, Barbara Sheeche, Neville Rodgers, Betsy Burke, Betty Shackett, Mary Ellen Thomas, Mrs. Josephine Gray, Coach.  
Row two: Sandra Marotti, Virginia Flanders, Mary Hinsman, Norma Keefe, Madelyn Ryan, Andrea Bellerose, Donna Pierce, Beverly Horton.

# "Dribble-Dribble-Shoot"

This year, the girls' varsity was open to a larger number of players. The seniors on the team were Sally Greene, Beverly Horton, Betty Jean Shackett, Sheila Sullivan, Shirley Baker, Shirley Rice, and Deanna Flanders. The juniors were Betty Lubinsky, Mary Hinsman, Patricia Wood, and Lynn Day. The sophomores were represented by Barbara LaCoe, Neville Rodgers, Joan Austin, Lyndsay Pond, and Norma Keefe. Sally Edmunds and Joanne Lyon were the only freshmen who participated. Judy White was manager, and Mrs. Josephine Gray coached. The team had a very successful year, and lost only to Castleton Teachers College and Wallingford High School. Good luck was insured by the mascot, "Oscar Edwin Sullivan," the miniature basketball held by Sally Edmunds in the picture. Poor "Oscar" was left behind when the team lost. The girls benefited from playing on the team, had a good time, and learned to work cooperatively.



Front row: Judith White, Sally Greene, Shirley Baker, Betty Shackett, Deanna Flanders, Beverly Horton, Neville Rodgers, Mary Hinsman, Mrs. Josephine Gray, Coach.  
Row two: Shirley Rice, Norma Keefe, Joan Fox, Betsy Burke, Joan Looker, Joan Austin, Lynn Day, Sheila Sullivan, Andrea Bellerose, Patricia Wood, Barbara LaCoe.  
Row three: Frances Sobotka, Betty Lubinsky, Yvonne Matt, Sally Edmunds, Judith Minard, Claire Burke, Jean LaFond.



# Off The Rim

This year, instead of having homeroom teams in competition, the girls were grouped by colors for intramural basketball. The seniors had four teams. On the purple team were Deanna Flanders, Mary Lubinsky, Joan Fox, Jean Petty, Mary Thomas, and Jacqueline Dawson, Captain. The gold team consisted of "Buzzy" Griffith, Patricia Keefe, Sandra Paul, Joyce Boutwell, Myra Hopper, and Julie Beane. Shirley Rice was captain of the black team; others who played on it were Betty Shackett, Shirley Baker, Sheila Sullivan, Beverly Horton, and Sibyl Chase. The green team was composed of many black team members and some girls who didn't have the opportunity of playing on other teams.

Carol Kallio, "Ciska" Sobotka, Pat Wood, Mary Bordeau, Pat Milne, and Irene Burditt composed the junior blue team. The other junior team was orange; Mary Hinsman, Joan Looker, Betty Lubinsky, Betsy Burke, and Claire Burke played.

The sophomore white players were "Rusty" Rodgers, Virginia Flanders, Donna Pierce, Mary Ellen Russell, Andrea Bellerose, and Madelyn Ryan. On the green team were Sandra Marotti, Lynn Meszaros, Noreen Steele, Isabel Howland, Roberta Taggart, and Carole Gamsby. Norma Keefe, Madelyn Ryan, "Rusty" Rodgers, Mary Lou Hinchey, Lyndsay Pond, Kay Hector, and Jean Looker played for the blue. The red team consisted of "Andy" Bellerose, Judith Minard, "Bunny" Matt, Barbara LaCoe, Joan Austin, Donna Pierce, Sandra Marotti, and Mary Ellen Russell.

The freshmen had three teams. Irene Burke, Loretta Bowen, Joanne Lyons, Cathy Sanborn, Deanna Cook, Claire Padolecchia, Jean Pelkey, and Wanda Boynton made up the green team. Mary Prespare, Gail Rollins, Sally Edmunds, Donna Monroe, Debbie Butterfield, and Sandy Anderson were the frosh on the gold team. The red team consisted of Jo Bartlett, Lois Wilder, Val Wilson, Patricia Bride, Brenda Hubbard, Pat Morgan, and Judy Briggs.

Front row: Jean Petty, Joan Fox, Patricia Keefe, Carol Kallio, Sandra Marotti, Mary Lou Hinchey, Betty Jean Reedy, Nancy Houghton, Joan Austin, Mary Hinsman.  
Row two: Mary Ellen Thomas, Mary Lou Reedy, Myra Hopper, Sandra Paul, Mary Bordeau, Frances Sobotka, Jean LaFond, Claire Burke, Patricia Woods, Irene Burke, Peggy Mangan.  
Row three: Deanna Flanders, Sally Greene, Donna Pierce, Mary Ellen Russell, Andrea Bellerose, Norma Keefe, Joanne Bartlett, Sandra Anderson, Sally Edmunds, Deborah Butterfield.  
Row four: Virginia Flanders, Betty Shackett, Barbara LaCoe, Katherine Hector, Neville Rodgers, Wanda Boynton, Deanna Cook, Mary Prespare, Donna Monroe, Betsy Ravit.  
Row five: Beverly Horton, Shirley Rice, Sheila Sullivan, Robin Prespare, Nancy Johnson, Betsy Burke.



# Take The Low Ground

This year, a girls' ski team was organized, and members of the team participated in two important ski meets, meeting Putney and Woodstock. Rutland placed second in both meets; Putney took top honors.

Active members of the ski team include: Betty J. Reedy, Mary Prespare, Sandra Anderson, Nancy Houghton, Joan Austin, Andrea Bellerose, Margaret Mitchell, Joanna Taft, Judith Clark, Julie Beane, Lynn Day, Mary Hinsman, Robin Prespare, and Mary Lou Hinchey.



Front row: Joan Austin, Mary Hinsman, Andrea Bellerose, Margaret Mitchell, Joan Fox, Mary Ellen Thomas, Sally Greene, Judith Clark, Joanna Taft.  
Row two: Joanne Bartlett, Margaret Mangan, Betsy Ravit, Robin Prespare, Sally Edmunds, Mary Prespare, Sandra Anderson, Betty Jean Reedy, Irene Burke, Deborah Butterfield, Nancy Houghton.



## Team! March!

A new organization in the high school this year was the girls' drill team known as the "Raiderettes." The performances of this group were supervised by Mrs. Josephine Gray, faculty adviser. Carol Brown and Patricia Dodge headed the team.

The drill team performed at the first MSJ basketball game, the West Rutland game, and at Springfield, Brattleboro and Windsor.

There were two important committees in the organization, the Demerit and the Uniform Committees.

The members of the first drill team were: Judith Arndt, Barbara LaCoe, Shirley Hendee, Patricia Claypoole, Joan Austin, Sylvia Elkey, Yvonne Matt, Julia Murphy, Judith Minard, Patricia Dodge, Belle Backon, Patricia Bride, Valerie Wilson, Brenda Derby, Lora Davidson, Carol Brown, Sarah Harrington, and Priscilla Goodspeed.



Front row: Patricia Bride, Patricia Dodge, Lora Davidson, Belle Backon, Carol Brown, Leader; Judith Minard, Shirley Hendee, Brenda Derby, Priscilla Goodspeed.  
Row two: Sylvia Elkey, Valerie Wilson, Judith Murphy, Yvonne Matt, Sarah Harrington, Mrs. Josephine Gray, Coach; Barbara LaCoe, Joan Austin, Patricia Claypoole, Judith Arndt.

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